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ADJOURN SATURDAY FOR THE HOLIDAYS

THIS THOUGHT TO BE THE PLAN OF CONGRESS.

Will Rush Work Through - Christmas Recess to Begin December 18 If the Program Is Carried Out - Work Before the House and Senate—Civil Service Law

Washington, Dec. 13.—If the present program is carried out congress will adjourn for the holiday recess next Saturday. The week in the house promises to be made memorable for the formidable inauguration of the war against the civil-service law. The legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, which will be taken up Tuesday, contains the regular appropriation of the civil-service commission, and whether or not all the members who favor the repeal or modification of the law unite to strike down the provision for its maintenance, as the quickest and most direct method of crippling its operation, undoubtedly some will advocate this course and the whole civil-service question will be dragged into the arena of debate. How long the debate will last it is impossible to predict, but as this is the only item in the bill which will attract much of a contest Chairman Cannon hopes and believes the bill can be passed before Saturday. This latter day, under an order made last Thursday, has been set aside for paying tribute to the memory of the late Representative Cooke of Illinois.

Chairman Hitt of the foreign affairs committee will again seek to secure the passage of the bill to prohibit pelagic sealing by citizens of the United States. There is some very strong opposition to the passage of this measure in its present form and the whole question of the Bering sea negotiations may be precipitated when it is called up.

The work of the senate, so far as it has been mapped out for the week, includes the consideration of the immigration bill, which stands on the calendar as the unfinished business, the probable debate of the census bill and the pronouncing of eulogies upon the late Representative Holman of Indiana. The general opinion among friends of the measure is that there will be no very strenuous opposition to the immigration bill and that it may be passed after a brief debate.

The friends of annexation on the committee on foreign relations are now expecting to ask the senate to take up the treaty during the week, though well aware of the impossibility of securing final action before the holidays. They are decided also upon taking the treaty up as such instead of attempting to secure legislation on a joint resolution. They may postpone their request for consideration until January.

The senate leaders express themselves as agreeable to the house program for adjournment for the holidays on Saturday. The senate eulogies upon the late Representative Holman will be delivered Friday.

It is understood that in a few days there will be a joint session of the sub-committees of the senate and the house, at which all matters will be gone over and significant steps taken in the way of settling the problems by congressional enactment. In view of the large amount of work necessary to be done, however, it is not probable any bill can be passed until well toward the end of the session.

Vigilantes Try Suspects.

Hazelhurst, Miss., Dec. 13.—In an open field, without a house in sight, with a crowd of eager men waiting to avenge the quintuple murder in Lawrence county, three negroes, Giles Berry, Will Powell and Tom W. Allen, were on trial for their lives last night at the Bankstone ferry. The latest reports received here from Georgetown are that the mob, at 4 o'clock, found Will Powell guilty, and started for the scene of the killing to hang him up. Lewis was lynched after trial Friday night.

Picture of Illinois Corn.

Eureka, Ill., Dec. 13.—One of the features of the exhibit from Illinois at the Paris exhibition will be a picture made entirely of corn, 40 by 60 feet in dimensions. It is to be designed by E. S. Fursman of this county, and is intended to assist the efforts of the farmers of this state in securing a larger market for corn in Europe. In connection with the picture will be an American kitchen, in which many dishes made from corn will be prepared.

Nebraska Embezzler Caught.

New York, Dec. 13.—Eugene A. Cashman, a foreman in the street-cleaning department of this city, was arrested here. Cashman was county treasurer of Greeley county, Nebraska, three years ago. It is alleged that he suddenly disappeared and left a shortage in his accounts of between $25,000 and $30,000.

Report That France Has Yielded.

London, Dec. 13.—Official circles are very reticent, but the statement is confidentially made in quarters generally well posted that the French government is preparing to accept the inevitable on the upper Nile and leave Great Britain in undisturbed control of the whole Nile valley.

AGREE TO ARBITRATE.

Glass Workers' and Manufacturers' War Reaches a Conclusion.

Anderson, Ind., Dec. 13.—Secretary J. D. Van Deventer of the window glass manufacturers' national wage committee has returned from Pittsburg. A conference was held Saturday night after the workers had signed the wage scale, and another agreement was entered into, whereby all parties agree to leave to boards of arbitration any and all questions arising during this season.

It will be necessary to get in every working hour when the plants get started, and this agreement will insure that no plant will be closed down until July 1. The manufactures also entered into agreement to do away with any animosity toward workers and treat all alike.

It is thought the cutters' and flatteners' scale will be signed this week. Plants cannot now be started until after Jan. 1.

DUBOIS ON ANNEXATION.

Says That the Natives of Hawaii Are Opposed to the Treaty.

Blackfoot, Idaho, Dec. 13.—Ex-Senator Dubois, who has just returned from an extended visit to Japan, China and Hawaii, says that the United States will not annex these islands without the bitter opposition of the natives. He says there are less than 1,200 male Americans over 21 years of age on the islands, and nearly half of them are opposed to the treaty, while nearly all the native population is against it. Nothing but the support of the United States government keeps the present oligarchy, "misnamed a republic," in power. He says it could not sustain itself a day if the United States should withdraw its support. It will require a large armed force constantly to maintain any government which the United States may establish there. The natives will never consent to annexation.

Alton Race War in Court.

Alton, Ill., Dec. 13.—The trouble between the school board and the colored people has been transferred from the local field to the supreme court. Mayor Henry Bueggemann and attorneys for the city, H. S. Balzer and John F. McGinnis, will go to Springfield to file an answer to the petition of the colored people for a writ of mandamus. The city means to prove that there has been no discrimination and that what has been done will work for the good of all.

Great Britain May Pay Bounties.

London, Dec. 13.—The Times, referring to rumors that the British government contemplates imposing countervailing duties on bounty sugar, asserts that the government has decided nothing except to inquire as to what would be the effect of such duties, because it is anticipated that a European conference may be held ere long to discuss the possibility of abolishing the bounty system.

Heavy Deficit Expected in Iowa.

Des Moines, Iowa, Dec. 13.—State Auditor McCarthy in his biennial report estimates that there will be a deficit in the state treasury of nearly $500,000 next June. He recommends that the state finances be brought to a cash basis; that the legislature increase the tax levy for the next two years and that the extraordinary appropriations be limited.

Indiana Official on Trial.

Butler, Ind., Dec. 13.—The trial of J. Hook, ex-county surveyor and a prominent Democratic politician, on the charge of having forged some county ditch orders to the amount of several hundred dollars, began today. The prosecutor claims Hook received the money by signing other men's names. Hook claims that he will easily prove his innocence.

Fight Inheritance-Tax Law.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Attorney-General Akin of Illinois will have ex-President Benjamin Harrison as an opponent in the inheritance tax cases which come up before the United States Supreme court next month. Mr. Akin professes confidence that the Supreme court will sustain the constitutionality of the law.

Canada May Meet a Rebuff.

Rome, Dec. 13.—It is reaffirmed here that Sir Wilfred Laurier, the dominion premier, asked the vatican to establish a nunciature in Canada. It is probable that the denial of the report issued from Ottawa was for electoral considerations, and it leads to the supposition that nothing will be done in the matter.

To Help British Engineers.

Boston, Dec. 13.—It was decided at a meeting of the Boston branch of the Amalgamated Society of Engineers to make an appeal to every trade union in Massachusetts to assist the engineers, machinists, smiths and pattern makers of Great Britain in their great fight for an eight-hour day.

Kern's Slayers Sentenced.

Waverly, Iowa, Dec. 13.—Judge Clyde on Saturday sentenced Delilah Fales to be imprisoned twenty years and William Kern twelve years for the murder of Jerome Kern. They pleaded guilty of murder in the second degree.

Believed to Be a Defaulter.

Council Bluffs, Dec. 13.—R. N. Whittlesey, surveyor of customs for the port of Council Bluffs, has disappeared under circumstances that lead to the conclusion that he is a heavy defaulter. His books cannot be found.

REFORMERS CALLED TO TALK OF PLANS

NON PARTISAN CONFERENCE AT NEW YORK.

Will Plan Caucus Changes—Prominent Men of Many States Are Interested In the Movement—Better Primary Laws Is the Object to Be Attained.

New York, Dec. 13.—Ralph M. Easley, secretary of the Civic Federation of Chicago, has issued the call for a national conference in this city Jan. 14 and 15 of men interested in securing primary election reform legislation.

The object of this conference is to bring together men with practical ideas from all the large cities, and especially from states where substantial progress has been made in caucus reform. The program will include speeches from men of national reputation in both political parties, as well as reports from practical men as to the working of the various laws now governing primary elections or caucuses.

Considerable attention will be given to the question, "How to get voters out to the primaries" after fair laws are secured. Special interest will be taken in reports from New York, Massachusetts, Maryland, Illinois, New Jersey and Ohio, where legislatures will then be in session and considering primary election laws.

The call for the conference is in words following:

"Believing that our caucus or primary election customs and laws lie at the very root and source of our entire elective franchise system, and that the misrule of our larger cities is due in a large measure to the defects in such practices and customs, it therefore follows that to purify this system is to take a long step in the direction of honesty, economy and efficiency in every branch of the public service; and further believing that the enactment of laws to prevent corrupt caucus practices and throw the safeguards of a regular election around the caucus or primary will encourage many more good citizens to take part therein, we, the undersigned, for the purpose of discussing and discovering as far as possible the precise defects in the various systems which now obtain and their remedies, and to take such action as may seem wise in the premises, do hereby join in calling a conference of persons interested in said questions to convene in the City of New York on the 14th and 15th days of January, 1898.

"We deem it desirable that the conference be made up of men from all parts of the country, and without regard to party or factional affiliations."

Federation of Labor Meets.

Nashville, Dec. 13.—Nearly all the delegates to the convention of the American Federation of Labor were present when the meeting was called to order this morning. Most of the delegates attended a meeting Sunday afternoon of the trade and labor council, and brief speeches were made by several. M. Henri Cardoza of Paris, who is in this country investigating the steel-making industry for the French government, is attending the convention. It is expected definite action will be taken in reference to the institution of postal savings banks by the general government.

Insurgents Not Yielding.

Havana, Dec. 13.—The plans of the insurgents to strike a blow near the city have been checked, according to the official account, but the concentration of their forces is such as to make it unlikely that the insurgent bands will surrender, as the Spanish authorities have been hoping. The business concerns of the city are much discouraged by the actual situation. They do not look forward to a speedy end of the revolution. All say that they have abandoned the hope that the insurgents will surrender or accept the conditions of autonomy.

Haitian Ministry Resigns.

Port au Prince, Dec. 13.—The entire ministry has resigned. As yet the personnel of its successor has not been definitely settled, and several well-known men are mentioned who will command the confidence of Haitians and foreigners alike.

Blanco's Resignation Talked Of.

Key West, Fla., Dec. 13.—It is said that Gen. Blanco will resign if he finds it impossible to arrange affairs so as to establish autonomy in the island. Concentrated people are dying of hunger still, and no help is granted them. At Mantanzas 700 persons died last week. About twelve sugar plantations have commenced grining.

Rich Gold Strike Verified.

San Antonio, Texas, Dec. 13.—Advices were received here from Indian Creek, 100 miles west of there, that the recent gold discoveries there are of fabulous richness. An assay of the ore taken from one prospect ran $4,750 to the ton. Over 200 claims have already been staked off.

Will Not Oppose Germany.

London, Dec. 13.—The Berlin correspondent of the Daily Mail says he hears that Great Britain agrees not to oppose Germany's occupation of Kiao-Chou in return for Germany's promise not to interfere in the Egyptian question.

PROMISES OF SPAIN DO NOT HOLD GOOD

HYPOCRISY OF HER POLICY IN CUBA EXPOSED.

Blow Aimed at Foreigners—Death to Be the Penalty For the Display of a Foreign Flag—Consular Officers Forbidden to Afford Protection to Their Countrymen.

Havana, Dec. 13.—Don Augustin La Torre, military commander of the City of Puerto Principe, has exposed the hypocrisy of Spain's alleged policy of mildness under Blanco.

The barbarous decree of La Torre exceeds in cruelty anything Weyler ever devised to exterminate non-combatants. Its full text, published by La Lucha, defies all international law and the most sacred rights of foreigners to be considered as neutrals in time of war.

Articles 1 and 2 impose the death penalty on any one firing firecrackers or even standing at his door within the city of Nuevitas when it is threatened by the enemy. Article 3 says:

"It is also forbidden, with the same penalty of death, to any resident or head employe of any kind of office, to hoist any flag which is not that of Spain. If any foreign consul shall have any objection to this order, he shall tell me his reasons; then I will decide about his case in the way I shall deem best.

"Art. 4. It is also absolutely forbidden that any family shall take refuge in the forts and barracks, excepting the families of volunteers and employes of the government, who will show an express order from me.

The consular agents in Nuevitas of the United States, Great Britain, France and Germany have written to their consuls general in Havana, explaining the gravity of the situation, and protesting against article 3 of La Torre's decree. It is believed some international protest will be made.

MIGHT RESULT IN WAR.

Injury Done to a Consular Officer Would Be Resented.

Washington, Dec. 14.—It cannot be ascertained whether the state department has received official information of the reported action of General La Torre, commanding the Spanish forces in Puerto Principe, in forbidding under pain of death the raising of foreign flags, in such way as even to exclude consuls from the privilege of raising flags over their consulates, except upon his permission.

Any injury to a foreign consular officer by the authorities of the country in which he is stationed would undoubtedly result in a demand for reparation and apology, and if the consul suffered death, war would be likely to result. No precedent by which General La Torre's alleged action can be considered could be recalled.

WILLETT HEARD FROM.

Indiana Banker Fears Personal Violence If He Returns.

English, Ind., Dec. 13.—F. B. Hatfield of Booneville, Ind., a cousin of Cashier Willett of one of the three broken banks in Crawford county, received a letter from Willett a few days ago. It was mailed from a Lake Erie & Western railway train, and was but two days old when received. It was indefinite, rambling, and without clew to his whereabouts, present or future. Willett says he would kill himself but for his wife and child. He fears personal violence in case of his return.

Story of Lynching Untrue.

Milford, Ind., Dec. 13.—Contrary to published reports, there has been no attempt made to lynch the alleged bank robbers. George Barnhard, who was arrested at Defiance, O., for the robbery of Miles & Higby's bank Dec. 1, is in jail awaiting trial, having been held in $3,000 bail. Clarence Ulery and Frank Johnson, of this place, arrested on the same charge, were acquitted.

Missing Treasurer $10,000 Short.

Mascoutah, Ill., Dec. 13.—The shortage of W. D. Tolle, the missing treasurer of the Belleville Loan association, is said to be something over $10,000. A Baltimore company is his bond for $5,000 and the balance will be made up by directors of the loan association. Tolle's whereabouts are still unknown.

Wreck in a Tunnel.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Dec. 13.—A heavy freight train drawn by two locomotives crashed into a train of empty coal cars in the Vossburg tunnel, on the Lehigh Valley railroad, Sunday morning. Both engines and about sixteen freight cars were derailed, blocking the tunnel completely.

Rudini Reports Failure.

Rome, Dec. 13.—A semi-official note was published at a late hour last night, stating that Prime Minister Rudini informed King Humbert this evening that his negotiations for the formation of a new cabinet had been without result.

Carlyle's Sister Dying.

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 13.—Janet Carlyle Hanning, sister of the great Thomas Carlyle and the last surviving member of the family, is dying at the residence of W. J. Laing, her son-in-law, in this city. She is 85 years of age.

MRS. M'KINLEY DEAD.

The Mother of the President Passes Away Unconscious.

Canton, O., Dec. 13.—Funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Nancy Allison McKinley will be held in the First Methodist Episcopal church of this city at 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. The burial will be in the West Lawn cemetery, just west of the city. The Rev. Dr. Manchester will conduct



MRS. NANCY ALLISON M'KINLEY.

the services, assisted by all the pastors in the city. There are about thirty, and they will occupy the pulpit and participate in the services.

At daylight Sunday morning, at the suggestion of some of the older members of the congregation that an old-time custom now almost obsolete be observed to announce the death, the bell in the tower of the church slowly tolled off the years of her age.

Mrs. McKinley passed from life, without regaining consciousness, at a few minutes past 2 o'clock Sunday morning, with all her children and other immediate friends at her bedside. She did not suffer any in her last hours.

It is a coincidence that Mrs. McKinley died at almost the same hour of the day as did her husband on Thanksgiving five years ago. President McKinley remained up until about 3:30 o'clock, after the death of his mother, and then retired for a few hours' sleep.

Messages of condolence are pouring into the telegraph office from all quarters, and many friends have already called at the house to offer sympathy.

Grumble About America.

Berlin, Dec. 13.—The greater part of the speech of Baron von Thielmann in presenting the budget to the reichstag last Friday was devoted to sugar. He said the role America played in the sugar question resembled that of a pike in a carp pond, and that the effect of the Dingley tariff had been to increase the necessity for the carp to combine forces against the common enemy. The abolition of the sugar bounties, he declared, could only be a gain to Germany, and he was glad to inform the house that the latest negotiations opened in this direction promised a more successful issue.

More Arms for the Cubans.

New York, Dec. 13.—Patria, official organ of the Cuban Junta in this city, publishes the following statement: "Our brothers in the field have just received a new expedition, which landed 1,200 cannon balls and shells, including 200 shells for the pneumatic dynamite gun, 300 rifles, 300,000 rounds of ammunition, 1,000 machetes, many dynamite bombs, several electrical machines for war purposes, clothes, and provisions."

Friends' Bible Conference.

Richmond, Ind., Dec. 13.—Arrangements have been begun for a Bible conference to be held at Earlham college the coming summer under the auspices of the Indiana and Western Yearly Meetings of Friends. It is the intention to establish a permanent conference, to be held each year about the last of July, for two weeks. The most prominent workers of the two yearly meetings, as well as others, will take part.

Bills Likely to Pass.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 13.—Sunday night found no member of the legislature in the city except those representing Sangamon county. It is the common prophecy that the apportionment bill will pass one or both houses during the coming week. There is now little doubt that the committee of sixteen will agree upon a bill. A joint caucus of Republican members is announced for Tuesday, immediately following the morning session.

Philadelphia Loss $800,000.

Philadelphia, Dec. 13.—The damage resulting from Saturday night's fire at John and James Dobson's wholesale and retail carpet salesrooms, 809 and 811 Chestnut street, will reach a larger sum than was first estimated. Over $800,000 in buildings and stock went up in smoke and fire, but the loss is fully covered by insurance.

Buys up Many Mines.

Rossland, B. C., Dec. 13.—A cable from London states that the British-American corporation has floated £1,000,000 and has secured the Le Roi, Josie and eight of the Rossland mines, also the Alaska Commercial company, the town site of Dawson City, and claims on Bonanza, Eldorado, Bear and other Klondike creeks.

May Not Live to be Tried.

Butler, Ind., Dec. 13.—Four times ex-Deputy Treasurer Perry Fair has been brought up for trial on the charge of forging county orders, and each time his trial has been postponed. Meanwhile Fair's health is failing, and many think he will not live to be tried.

CASHIER IN LIMBO AT ANTIGO, WIS.

L. E. BUCKMAN IS TAKEN IN CHARGE.

The Complaint Sets Forth the Allegation That He Issued a Certificate of Deposit Leaving the Interest and Marking It Cancelled—Shortage Will Be About $13,000.

Antigo, Wis., Dec. 13.—L. E. Buckman, cashier of the defunct Antigo bank, was arrested on a charge of embezzlement. It is alleged that he issued a certificate of deposit for $2,000, leaving the interest and making the entry on the bank's books as canceled. Receiver Bergman says the shortage in the bank will reach $13,000.

CUTS MILLER'S RECORD.

Track on Which the Six-Day Race Was Run Found to Be Short.

New York, Dec. 13.—After the end of the six-day race, which Miller won at Madison Square Garden Saturday night, in the presence of the management, the track was surveyed and found to be 564 feet 3 inches in circuit, measured eighteen inches from the pole, according to the racing rules. These figures multiplied by nine, the number of laps said to have made a mile, showed a total of 5,078 feet 3 inches.

Accordingly the track turns out to have been short 201 feet 9 inches in every mile, and it is estimated on this basis that Miller's record of 2,093 miles really represents nearly eighty miles less. This would bring his figures down to about 2,013 miles, over 100 more than the record made by Hale in the Garden last December.

The final score was:

	Miles.	Laps.
Miller	2,093	4
Rice	2,026	5
Schineer	2,000	7
Hale	1,920	2
Waller	1,883	1
Pierce	1,828	0
Golden	1,778	0
Gannon	1,760	6
Entermann	1,753	7
Elkes	1,660	7
Kinz	1,616	8
Julius	1,503	5
Moore	1,495	4
Rivierre	1,476	7
Beacom	1,350	8
Johnson	1,279	4
Gray	1,229	0

Hopes to Stamp Out Fever.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Surgeon General Wyman of the marine hospital hopes by his plan of post-epidemic disinfection to prevent the reappearance of yellow fever in the south next year. "The epidemic has almost disappeared," said Dr. Wyman. The surgeon-general's circular letter to officers of the marine hospitals and local health officers provides for a thorough inspection of all infected localities and the cleaning of all public and private buildings where yellow fever appeared the last season.

Barry Freed from Blame.

London, Dec. 13.—The coroner's jury today returned a verdict of accidental death in the case of Walter Croot, the English bantamweight, who died Tuesday morning last from injuries received during the contest for the bantamweight championship with Jimmy Barry, of Chicago, at the National Sporting Club on the previous night. According to the medical testimony Croot's skull was fractured at the base, due to a fall after the blow in the 20th round.

Weekly Bank Statement.

New York, Dec. 13.—The weekly bank statement shows the following changes: Reserve decreased $3,235,225, loans increased $9,981,300, specie decreased $609,900 legal tenders decreasedl $402,800, deposits increased $8,791,300, and circulation decreased $61,000. Total loans are $607,725,300; specie, $103,879,900; legal tenders, $83,800,000; net deposits, $675,169,900, and circulation, $15,854,200. Banks now hold in excess of legal reserves, $18,887,425.

As to a Steel Rail Pool.

Harrisburg, Pa., Dec. 13.—President E. C. Felton of the Pennsylvania Steel company, says he knows nothing about the steel rail pool to be formed by the six largest sized companies of this country. He said, however, that he would like to see an increase in the price of rails, and professed ignorance of the proposed plan whereby the companies east of the Alleghenies are to be given the export trade.

Japan Anxious About Russia.

Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 13.—The Northern Pacific's steamer Tacoma brings but little news of late happenings in the Orient. Japan is exercised over recent Korean events, which indicate the strengthening of Russia's hold upon that country, and is losing its bellicose attitude on the Hawaiian annexation question.

Major Marchand Escaped.

Brussels, Dec. 13.—The Mouvement Geographique, which Tuesday announced that a French expedition under Major Marchand, while on its way up the Nile, had been massacred near Bahr el Ghazel, says today that only two officers of the expedition escaped, one of whom is Maj. Marchand.

Verdict Against Maccabees.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 13.—John Winslow, who sued the Knights of Maccabees for $25,000 for dislocating one of his kidneys while initiating him, was awarded $10,000 by a jury in Judge Bates' division of the Circuit court.

REV. A. C. KEMPTON TAKES UP THE WORK

PASTOR OF THE BAPTIST CHURCH HERE.

He Preached Both Morning and Evening Yesterday, and Pleased His Hearers—Large Congregations at Court Street Church Yesterday—News From Other Sanctuaries

A large congregation greeted Rev. A. C. Kempton, at the Baptist church, yesterday morning. Beautiful flowers were upon the platform, and the words "We greet you," in large letters, were back of the pulpit. A beautiful duet was sung by Miss Elizabeth Palmer and Miss Cora Andersoa. Rev. Kempton took for his text the first verse of Jer., 18. His them was "The Divine Potter and the Earthly Clay." In cast they have all of them vessels are made of clay, so it was no uncommon sight to the prophet.

Notice 1st. The Potter and the clay. God is the potter. We are the clay. God has made us.

The potter makes the most of his clay. He has a nigh ambition, so God wishes to shape and mould us to our best good. He takes off a bit here and shapes us there, puts into us his spirit and if we will but let him he will make us gems beautiful to all eternity. The clay vessels of the east are very fragile, easily broken. This is a symbol of our lives. How frail are our physical lives. How much more frail our spiritual lives. How careful we should be. If our lives are only filled with God's spirit and all will be well. Notice that the vessel is marred or broken. The soil of Egypt and Palestine is filled with broken pottery, so too is this whole world filled with broken lives. Our lives may be broken. Who is to blame for this? Not God We are all finding fault with God.

The potter cannot make a perfect vessel out of clay that is imperfect, neither can God, with all of his ambition for us; and his skill, make out of us perfect vessels if we will insist upon keeping some secret sin, something wrong. But see the bright side of this. God can so shape us that if we will but let him, he will use the broken life for his glory. We can be useful if we are broken. Notice again that God can make this broken vessel over again. We can patch and repair our lives but God alone can make them anew. Christian have you wandered from God. He can if you will make you new creatures. Brothers and sisters if we but do our best for God he will do his best for us. I can ask no more than this, that we bring ourselves and all we are to the great potter and let him make of our broken lives vessels that are beautiful and useful.

The Evening Service

In the evening Mr. Kempton spoke of "Silent Voices That Tell of God," choosing for his text Psalms 19 1-4: "The heavens declare the glory of God, the firmament showeth his handiwork." This psalm is a golden locket that opens into two parts, on one of which is a picture of the star-bespangled heavens, while on the other is engraved a copy of the scriptures. We are born with a love for nature. Her bright flowers, her singing birds, her warm sunshine, her wonderful stars preach to us sermons about God while yet we are babes, and were we educated as we should be these silent sermons would grow louder and sweeter with the passing years. The sermons that are loudest and the songs that are sweetest are silent to ear but loud to the heart. God himself speaks in a "still small voice" and nature, which is God's servant, speaks in a voice that is softer still though it is heard the wide world round.

"The heavens declare the glory of God." If every other record of God were destroyed, we might still behold his glory in yon blue vault with its shining orbs. So loudly do they declare God's glory, that infidels as they have walked beneath the stars, have bent the knee to God, while heathens, who knew not God's name, have learned to worship Him through these wondrous creations of His hands. After listening to the conversation of a group of infidels, Napoleon pointed to the stars and said: "It is all very fine, gentlemen, but who made these?" His words were but the echo of the text, "The heavens declare the glory of God."

The large congregation listened with close attention, while the preacher, by both logic and illustration, made them hear those silent voices that tell of God.

COURT STREET CHURCH

Two Very Large Audiences Hear Rev. W. A. Hall's Sermon

What was the Jewish conception of the coming Messiah? Did they think him human? No. Was he to be divine? No. A being above archangels He was less than God. A mighty being who should but out Caesar Caesar in the splendor of his conquests and the glory of his reign. One who should trample proud Rome in the very dust and exalt tramped Judea to the very heavens. Their great deliverer, their material savior who should also shine in the light which was then about Jehovah's throne. A light that should make dim the noon sun.

Mr. Hall then said he was glad Christ "was born." That he began away down like the rest of us, a mere babe. That he grew. That he shoved the plane, worked the saw, and struck with the hammer. Glad he felt with human emotions That he was weary, that he hungered, thirsted, slept. Not merely because it makes one feel that Jesus will surely sympathize with him that is good, but because it makes us feel that here at last is a man. A student of art wants to study art as it ought to be. He who would be great in music desires to study music as it should be, so he who would become strong and beautiful in character wants to study man complete, symmetrical. God puts Christ down among us and says, here is man as he ought to be. Here is a human being full-orbed. Study. Follow. Philip Brooks defines a christian as one who follows Christ. If you make the word follow broad enough, make it to mean imitation of Christ's attitude to God and man both, the definition will do splendidly. Are you in Christ's strength, trying to do as Christ would do? Mr. Hall then described the journey to Bethlehem, the prospect from the Bethlehem hill-top. He said the cave, serving as a stable, sometimes might not have been so used just at that time. How lowly Christ's birth! No room for him in the inn! No room for this greatest event but one in all history, and that one his own death, which took place out of the city walls. Christ was crowded out. He is today. We have time and thought for anything; everything but Him. No one in all time was was ever half so unfairly dealt with. God used the secular event of the enrolment, Caesar Augustus was one of the lions hitched to the chariot of God's purpose. "And there were shepherds in the same country." The angel's message came to men of toil. Christianity hallows labor. "This shall be a sign unto you." When Christ born in the heart the unmistakable sign of the witness of the spirit. Mr. Hall described the angelic visitation. The words of the anthem of praise should be "Glory to God" in the highest, on earth the peace of good will among men. The good will toward every one which this Christ brings to the heart brings a deep peace—the peace of good will. "And the shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all the things they had heard and seen." How small their Christ a mere babe! How little he could for them! How much He can do for us! If they praised God, how much more ought we!

Mr. Hall preached to a large audience in the evening on amusements.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. E. H. Pence Preaches on the Subject: "Showers of Blessing"

Yesterday morning's sermon at the Presbyterion church was from Ezek. 34 26. "There shall be showers of blessing." A wonderful parallel may be drawn between the action and results of the rain storm in nature, and spiritual "showers of blessing." There are two or three questions that come to us in thinking of this. What are they? How are we to get them? How can we keep them? Rain is simply the return of water that was once on the earth in lake, ocean, river or stagnant pond. So showers of blessing are not going to come as something new or strange or startling but simply as old duties, opportunities, and responsibilities transformed and transfigured, simply by attending to our old duties.

What are some of the ways by which we can get the divine blessing? At the time of Pentecost the disciples were gathered in the upper room for prayer, studying the bible, and worshipping together, and these are the ways by which blessings are going to come to us. We are getting too busy in these days to pray and study the word of God. Martin Luther devoted an hour a day to prayer and if especially busy two hours. We regard prayer as a duty, when it ought not to be a duty any more than a child talking to its parents. We should cultivate this privilege, this magnificent opportunity to know our Heavenly Father. We should become praying individuals and praying churches and no church can ever become very powerful unless it is built on praying homes. We must have something of the church life in the home itself. Christ gave us this example himself. Again, bible reading is another duty. We ought not to let our pastor do all our bible reading for us. We need it every day and we should be hungry for the word of God. Study it systematically, devoutly, devotionally, practically to find out God's will for us.

Another duty is social ownership. The church is divine. There is a sacredness about it, not because it is the church, but because of what is in it and God is there only as he is in the hearts of the people in the church. We receive sweet blessings in the uplift of soul and strengthening of purpose that came to us in the house of God and nowhere else.

By blessing others, we ourselves receive a blessing. Be not like the Dead Sea which has everything poured into it and pours nothing out. As these disciples preached in what had been to them an unknown tongue, we can speak in the language of sweetness and loving kindness to people who will be sure to understand this language. Faithful attention to these three duties, prayer, bible study and social worship would bring such a blessing of the Holy Spirit as would bring multitudes in Janesville into the kingdom of God.

THE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Robert C. Denison Talks of "God's Available Power"

At the Congregational church yesterday morning the pastor, Robert C Denison, spoke on "God's Available Power" from the text Eph. 1: 18 and 19. He said in part: To a man whose eyes are open, the fact of God's power is plain and wonderful. In nature we are surrounded by the sight of the power of God on every hand, in ocean, in sky, in mountain, in star and in flower there is lifted up before us the vision of on infinite power and loving father. God's shaping hand in history has always been manifest in the turning and overturning of the nations. Then we must add to this the revelation of God through the great men of the old testament. This power and majesty as seen in nature and history should indeed impress us with awe, yet there is one thing more for us to ask and that is whether all this power so vast and infinite can touch and lift up your life and mine. Christ who knew God best of all called Him our Father, and does not a Father's hand stand ready to help his son. Should the divine be any different than the human when we speak of the father and son? His power has been efficien in the lives of just such men and women as you and I are today, and why not with us? Although your temptations may be peculiar, this power can adapt itself to you personally. God answers our prayers according to His unchangeable laws. The law of death and the laws of the national government must be obeyed. None ever pray to God in vain, whether the answer comes as they expected it or not Be sure that God's wisdom is sufficient for all your needs, and that He knows best. The influences of good men at our side is often the answer to a prayer that we be shielded from sin. God's agencies for helping His children are many and potent, if we will but use them. We are to conquer sin for the sake of our manhood and the love of our friends and relations; but above all, that we may honor the name of our God. Don't turn to every help except the right one, but as a child, ask your Heavenly Father for the help which which He stands ready to let you have.

The subject of the sermon in the evening was, "The Uncompleted Work."

THE EASTERN LEAF MARKET

Prices That Tobacco Commanded in the New York Trade.

Sales of seed leaf tobacco reported by J. S. Gans' Son, tobacco brokers, New York, for the week ending December 13, 1897, are as follows:

150 cases, crop of 1896, New England Havana at 16 to 30 cents.

75 cases, crop of 1896, New England Seed Leaf, at 22 to 28 cents.

150 cases, crop of 1893, Wisconsin Havana, at 9¾ to 10 cents.

200 cases, crop of 1896, Wisconsin Havana, p. t.

200 casas, crop of 1894-'95, Pennsylvania Seed Leaf, at 11 to 12 cents.

100 cases, crop of 1895, Pennsylvania Havana, at 12 to 13 cents.

120 cases, crop of 1896, Flats, at 13 to 14 cents.

983 cases, crop of 1894, Zimmers, at 15 to 17 cents.

150 cases, crop of 1896, Zimmers, at 5 to 17 cents.

100 cases, crop of 1894, Gebhardt, at 10¾ cents. cents.

200 cases, Sundries, at 5½ to 15 cents.

Total, 4,228 cases.

FRESHMEN ARE REINSTATED

President Eaton Lets the Beloit Pupils Resume Their Studies.

Saturday night's Beloit Free Press says: "President Eaton was in his office Saturday afternoon and met the suspended members of the Freshman class, as they came to talk about reinstatement. The applications were made by the individuals of the class and not by the class as a whole.

"The president had a short talk with each one concerning the spirit with which the work would be renewed. He readily re-instated all who applied in a spirit of loyalty to the college. Almost all the class thus applied, and it is expected that its ranks will be intact again before the new week is far advanced."

SYRIAN TALKS OF BUSINESS

Says His Trade Is Larger Than It Was a Year Ago

With $120 in paper money tightly held in his right hand a local Syrian peddler walked into the United States express office this morning and purchased a money order. This money was sent to Chicago for goods which will be peddled through this section of the state. In speaking of business this Syrian said that it was at present much better than a year ago but as yet he had been unable this summer to send much money to his native land.

RUSSELL WILL NOT COME HERE

"A Bachelor's Romance" Will Not Be Seen In Janesville

Manager Stoddard of the Myers Grand is in receipt of a letter from Sol Smith Russell's manager stating that he will be unable to play Janesville as was the intention. Russell was to have played "A Bachelor's Romance" here.

HOROTIO NELSON IN CHARGE

He Will Continue the Business of the Firm of Nelson Bros.

The livery and undertaking business that has been conducted by Nelson Bros. will in the future be managed by Horatio Nelon.

ENEMIES OF LIQUOR ARE TO MEET HERE

PROHIBITION RALLY SET FOR DECEMBER 15.

Prominent Workers From About the State Will Take Part, and Several of the State Officers Are to Be Present—The Program For the Session

The Rock County Anniversary Prohibition Conference and Rally is to be held in Good Templars hall, Janesville, Wednesday, Dec. 15 All prohibitionists as well as people in general are invited to attend. The Milton Club quartette will sing, and among those who will take part are Capt. J. F. Cleghorn, of Clinton; J. E. Clayton, state chairman; W. H. Clark, of Ripon, Grand Chief Templar; Rev. P. Stair, of Hebron; Lysle B. Walker, State Lecturer; Rev. L. B. Webb, of Evansville; F. C. Howarth, Clinton; Rev. George W. Chambers, Milton; Dr. A. S. Maxon, Milton Junction; R B. Plumb, Milton; Rev. G W. Burdick, Milton; Mrs. H. R. Osborn, North Johnstown; W. G. Kildow, of this city, and others. The program:

1:30 p. m. Call to order by State Chairman.
Song.....Milton Club Quartette
Prayer.....Rev. A. W. Stehens
Song.....Milton Club Quartette
1:45 p. m. Address of Welcome.....
J. M. Schackelton.
2:00 p. m. Response.....
Capt. J. F. Cleghorn.
2:15 p. m. "Retrospect and Prospect".....
J. E. Clayton, State Chairman.
2:30 p. m. "On With the Battle".....
W. H. Clark, G. C. Templar, Ripon.
Solo.....Rev. P. Stair, Hebron
3:00 p. m. "Enthusiasm and Organization"
Lyle B. Walker, State Lecturer.
3:25 p. m. "Our Allies" Five Minute Speeches
Mrs. H. R. Osborn for W. C. T. U., W. G. Kildow for Good Templars, Christian Endeavor, Epworth League, Rev. P. Stair.....
3:45 p. m. "Our Institutions of Learning For Prohibition".....
Rev. L. B. Webb, Evansville.
4:15 p. m. Symposium; five-minute speeches concerning Prohibition Clubs, Parlor Meetings, Local Speakers, Literature, Prohibition Wagon Work, by F. C. Howarth, Clinton; Rev. Geo. W. Chambers, Milton; D. A. S. Maxon, Milton Junction; R. B. Plumb, and others.
5:00 p. m. Song and Adjournment.....
EVENING MASS MEETING.
7:30 p. m. Song.....Quartette
Prayer.....Rev. George W. Burdick
Song.....Quartette
Address, by Lyle S. Walker, State Organizer; and W. H. Clark, Ripon.

CANNOT INSURE BICYCLES

State Law Prevent the Companies From Doing Business In Wisconsin.

Local cyclers who have been carrying insurance on their bicycles will have to get along next summer without a "bicycle policy." Under the present insurance laws it is impossible for any of the present bicycle insurance companies to do business in this state, and all agencies which were established here last summer have been or are about to be discontinued. At the last session of the legislature Insurance Commissioner Fricke had a law passed which provides that all insurance companies, not corporated in this state, but doing business here, must have a capital of at least $100,000. Besides this a bond of $2,000 must be filed with the state treasurer as a guarantee to pay claims. As bicycle insurance companies are included under this law, and as none of them have a capital of $100,000, all will have to get out of business in this state.

BELOIT COMPANIES COMBINE

The Electric Light Concerns Under One Management Now.

Beloit, Wis., Dec. 13—[Special]—It was announced this morning that a Milwaukee syndicate had purchased both electric light plants here. G. L. Cole of the Beloit Electric Light and Power Co., will remain as manager. The purchase involves a large sum and extensive improvements will be made.

THE VALLEY OF THE SHADOW

James Montgomery

Evansville, Dec 13—James Montgomery died at his home near this city Friday evening, Dec. 10, 1897, aged eighty years. For some time past he has been in poor health, but the immediate cause of his death was pneumonia.

He came to Wisconsin over forty years ago from Ohio, and has always resided on the farm he first broke up. His wife died Sept. 18, 1897 less than three months ago.

He leaves one daughter, Mrs. George Shaw, who with her husband have been residing with her aged parents for the past year.

The funeral services were held at the late home Sunday at 2 o'clock and the interment was in the Evansville cemetery.

THE GREAT HUXLEY.

What Huxley, the Great English Scientist Considered the Best Start in Life.

The great English scientist, Huxley, said the best start in life is a sound stomach. Weak stomachs fail to digest food properly because they lack the proper quality of digestive acids (lactic and hydrochloric) and peptogenic products; the most sensible remedy in all cases of indigestion, is to take after each meal one or two of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets because they supply in a pleasant, harmless form all the elements that weak stomachs lack.

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Seasonable Things Below.

Bureau Scarfs—Such a line. Hundreds of them. Made an immense purchase in September. Prettiest styles we have ever shown in Irish Point, Tambour, Point d'esprit, etc. And the prices, 75c, 85c, $1, for beauties; others to $3.

Oriental Novelties—An entirely new assortment; spreads, floor cushion and sofa pillow covers, etc. Bagdad effects. Persian stripe stuff for drapery purposes. Its a show worth seeing.

Silk Umbrellas—Beautiful handles, rich grades of silk, bought especially for Christmas trade Have them for men or women; make sensible presents.

Rare Ribbon Values—For Fancy work we show a large range of colors in all silk satin ribbons. Prices, 5, 7, 9, are 5c; 12, 16, 22 are 10c; Faucy Ribbons, 150 pieces, 3 to 4½ inch, rich brocaded Persian effects, iridescent stripes, morie taffettas, Roman stripes, etc., worth double our price, 25c.

Furs—Capes and collars in great variety. Every woman wants a fur scarf and our prices admit of every woman having one. New things just in. MUFFS in marten, thibet, electric seal, astrackhan, etc.; excellent grades, low prices. Children's sets, always in demand. We have pretty little styles at small cost.

Liberty Silk—Recently received all colors: useful for many purposes.

When you can buy ready-made such things at our prices, can you afford to make them? **Our muslin underwear,** so well made, such good muslin, so fine fitting All sizes in drawers, for women, and children, 25c. **Our Sheets and Pillow Cases, our excellent Wrappers, our Skirts,** over or under, our wool velvet, and silk **Waists** splendid styles.



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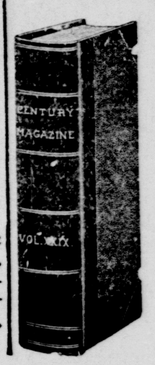
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As the holidays draw near there is a great demand for novelties, especially for those that can be made at home



Two useful and dainty gifts which can be easily made by the average bright American girl are here described.

At a Japanese store, that home of pretty things within the reach of the most slender purses, can be purchased for the sum of 10 cents a lifelike little head with a fringe of wiry black hair protruding from under a paper disk. In the center of this is a hole, through which a duster is intended to be slipped, but a very fantastic penwiper and blotter combined may be readily made instead. Cut two circular pieces of chamois of two contrasting colors (every desirable shade can now be obtained in this leather; the model was made of yellow and royal purple), and, having pinked the edges, gather in a bunch from the center and fasten with a bit of wire to a burned match. Slip the match through the opening in the top of the head until it rests crosswise inside, thus fixing the penwiper firmly in place. Now cut six squares of blotting paper of the same color as the chamois and lay them alternately one on top of another; then cut a circle of chamois an inch and a half in diameter and lay in the center of the topmost piece of blotting paper. Take the head, make a hole in each side of the neck and, threading a large needle with baby ribbon, pass it from the chamois on top through the last sheet of blotting paper and then back again, this time passing through the hole in the side of the neck. Now take the two ends of the ribbon and tie first in a firm knot and then in a dainty little bow. Having made a similar bow on the other side, the novel little gift is finished. The ribbon used must of course be of the same color as the chamois.

Another pretty present is a Japanese ballet dancer shaving paper case. An ordinary Japanese doll about ten inches high is used for this novel little dancer. Having disrobed the victim of its native gown, proceed to array it in crape tissue paper. The one in question was dressed in light blue, the ribbon used being black. The trousers, which reach just to the end of the unsightly brown muslin and the beginning of the pink knee, are cut from an oblong piece of tissue paper, sewed up the center and shirred at the bottom of each leg to form a ruffle. A waist is cut from a straight piece with two holes cut for the arms, into which is sewed a plain straight sleeve shirred at the end to form a ruffle. This is creased around the center to make the wheellike effect shown in the illustration. The waist is then shirred around the neck about half an inch from the top to form a ruffled collar. For the skirt cut 20 circles about 4½ inches in diameter and notch their edges, fold in half and then again in quarters without creasing them. Thread these through the pointed end on a strong piece of linen cord and, tying the cord tightly round the waist of the doll, push the frills until they stand out evenly all around. A ribbon is then passed round the waist, crossed in front,



then in the back and is tied in a bow in the center. A loop of the ribbon is then sewed to the crosspiece by which to hang it up.

Hand Painted Presents.

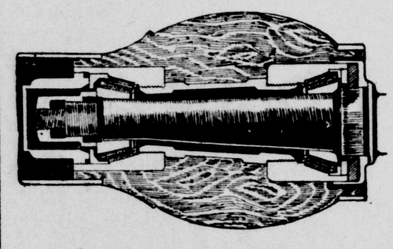
How many exquisite little holiday gifts one can prepare if she can paint! A fancy greatly appreciated by one who cannot paint is this: Take a satin ribbon from three to four inches wide, have it long enough to tie in a handsome bow, fringe the ends and then above this paint a tasteful design. Flowers are perhaps prettier than anything else, but I saw one with a tiny landscape painted upon it with such delicate touches that it was lovely. These bows are to be used as adornments for sofa arms or backs or to put upon the left hand corner of a chair back.

Another article upon which the brush may be used to advantage is the covering of a fine needle pillow. The latest novelty in shape is that of a muff, half the cover to be of pale pink, the other half of pale green. The ends were tied with bows of pink and green ribbons. The decoration was a branch of pine.

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J. A. Perkins, of Antiquity, O., was for thirty years needlessly tortured by physicians for the cure of eczema. He was quickly cured by using DeWitt's With Hazel salve the famous healing salve for piles and skin diseases. C. D. Stevens.

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Miss Allie Hughes, Norfolk, Va., was frightfully burned on the face and neck. Pain was instantly relieved by De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve, which healed the injuring without leaving a scar. It is the famous pile remedy. C. D. Stevens.

Holiday Excursions.

For the Christmas and New Year holidays, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway will sell excursion tickets on its own lines, within a distance of 200 miles, on December 24, 25, and 31, 1897, and January 1, 1898, limited for return up to and including January 4, 1898, at a fare and a third for the round trip.

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RECEIVER'S SALE, THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, IN CIRCUIT COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY—Chester C. Bennett, Plaintiff, vs. Daniel J. Luby, Defendant.

Pursuant to an order of the Circuit Court for said Rock county, dated December 7, A. D. 1897, I will sell at public auction, on the 14th day of December, A. D., 1897, beginning at three (3) o'clock in the afternoon, at number 7 West Milwaukee street, in the city of Janesville, in said county and state, the partnership effects and credits of the firm of Bennett & Luby, including the stock of boots, shoes, rubber goods and fixtures, said sale to be subject to confirmation by said Circuit Court. The terms of sale will be cash. The lease of the store room, occupied by said firm is not assignable.

Dated, December 7, A. D., 1897.

CHESTER C. BENNETT,
Receiver for Bennett & Luby.

SUTHERLAND & NOLAN,
Attorneys for Receiver.
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D. S. TULLAR, Attorney.

STATE OF WISCONSIN—COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY. In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the county court to be held in and for said county at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the 1st Tuesday, being Jan. 4, 1898, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Kate Riblet, for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of Clarence Herbert Montanye, late of the town of Turtle, in said county, deceased.

Dated Dec. 4th, 1897.

By the Court,
J. W. SALE,
County Judge.

D. S. Tullar, attorney for petitioner.

STATE OF WISCONSIN—COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY—In probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court to be held in and for said county at the Court House, in the City of Janesville, in said county, on the 3d Tuesday, being the 21st day of Dec., 1897, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Romanda M. Reynolds, to admit to probate the last will and testament of Leonard B. Reynolds, late of the city of Janesville in said county deceased.—Dated November 22, 1897.

By the Court,
J. W. SALE,
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Hunt, the Owler *By STANLEY J. WEYMAN*
The Blockaders *By JAMES BARNES*
A Harbor Mystery *By JOHN R. SPEARS*
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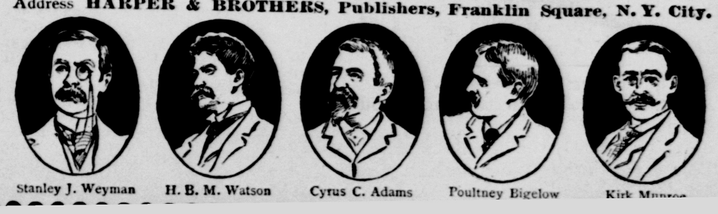
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THIS DAY IN HISTORY

1545—Opening of the council of Trent.
1553—Henry of Navarre (IV of France) born; assassinated 1610.
1585—William Drummond, Scottish poet, born; died 1649.
1784—Samuel Johnson, the famous English author, died; born 1709.
1813—The city of Buffalo burned by the British.
1815—Dean Stanley (Rev. Arthur Penrhyn) born; died 1881.
1867—Fenians blew up Clerkenwell prison, England, to release confederates; many people killed and wounded.
1888—George Routledge, London publisher, died; born 1812.
1892—Fatal conflict between masked train robbers and passengers on the Chesapeake and Ohio. Cyclone at Summit, Miss. Disastrous floods in Sacramento valley, California.

His Apology.

Elder Spudkins, who keeps a store at Quohosh, was sent as temporary supply to a pulpit in the village of Podunk, four miles away. He was late at the morning service, and apologized thus:

"Brethren, I hope you will pardon my tardiness this morning, but the fact is I was kept up late last night opening the finest stock of dry goods ever brought to Quohosh. We will sing the one hundred and third hymn."—Harlem Life.

All Right and Regular.

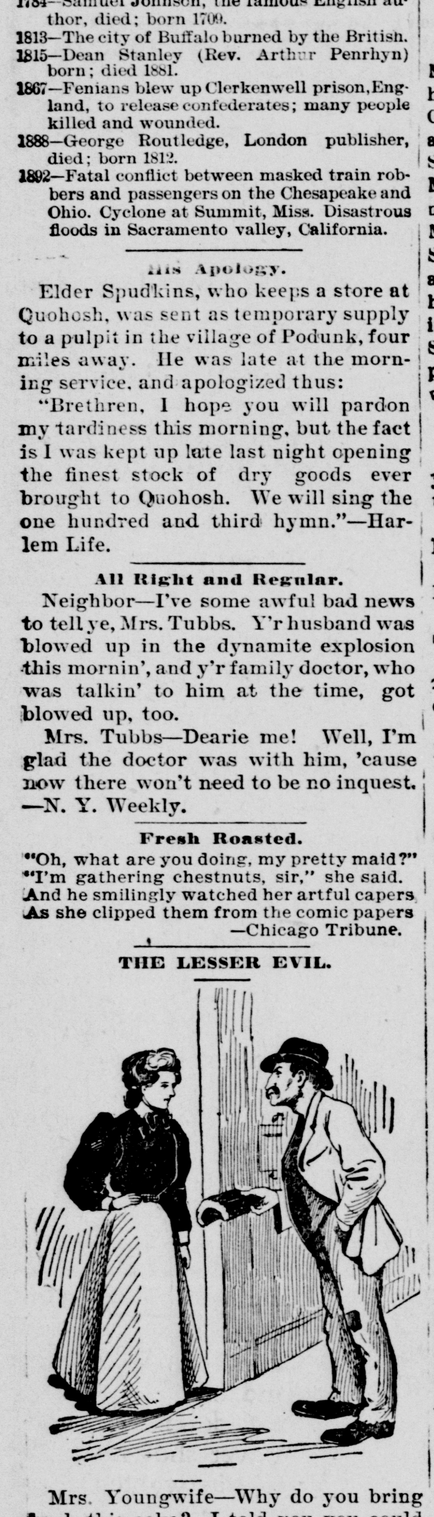
Neighbor—I've some awful bad news to tell ye, Mrs. Tubbs. Y'r husband was blowed up in the dynamite explosion this mornin', and y'r family doctor, who was talkin' to him at the time, got blowed up, too.

Mrs. Tubbs—Dearie me! Well, I'm glad the doctor was with him, 'cause now there won't need to be no inquest.—N. Y. Weekly.

Fresh Roasted.

"Oh, what are you doing, my pretty maid?"
"I'm gathering chestnuts, sir," she said.
And he smilingly watched her artful capers
As she clipped them from the comic papers
—Chicago Tribune.

THE LESSER EVIL.



Mrs. Youngwife—Why do you bring back this cake? I told you you could eat it if you would saw a little wood for me afterward.

Weary Wraggles—I will submit a proposition to you, madame. If you don't care I will eat the wood and saw the cake.—Lustige Blaetter.

An Immutable Law.

"Variety's the spice of life;"
You cannot rearrange it.
Even a hundred-dollar bill
Is no good till you change it.
—Washington Star.

Among the Micawbers.

Pollywog—I suppose it will be pretty quiet in the Klondike all winter.

Jollydog—Well, I don't know; I expect there will be a good many things turn up there.

Pollywog—What?

Jollydog—Toes.—Town Topics.

A Plausible Guess.

"What makes them refer to race horses as 'flyers,' Charley?" inquired young Mrs. Torkins.

And after profound contemplation her husband answered: "I don't know unless it's because riches have wings."—Washington Star.

In Union There Is Strength.

"Why is it," asked the philosopher, "that misfortunes never come singly?"

"Can't say," replied the other man, "unless it is that, on account of the reception they get, they're afraid to travel alone."—N. Y. Journal.

Depends on the Kind.

"Is it true that Mr. Jones talks like a book?" she asked.

"Yes," he replied; "like one of these ungrammatical dialect novels."—Chicago Post.

Applied Reason.

"There are things in this world more valuable than money, my son."

"I know it. That's the reason I want money to buy them with."—Detroit Free Press.

He Was All Right.

"They say that the Italian count she married turned out to be an organ-grinder."

"Well, at any rate he had a handle to his name."—Brooklyn Life.

A Tramp's Excuse.

"Would you work if you had a chance?"

"Madam, it is against my principles to have anything to do with games of chance."—N. Y. Truth.

A Fading Impression.

"What was that man to whom you bowed just now?"

"I can't remember what his name is, but it seems to me I used to be engaged to him."—Chicago Record.

WEDDING BELLS RANG TODAY

Patterson-Loyd.

Evansville, Dec 13—Lyle Patterson and Miss Bernice Lillian Lloyd, both of this city, were married at Madison, Saturday afternoon, Dec. 11, Rev. E. J. Baskerville officiating. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lloyd, who reside about one mile from this city. She graduated from the Evansville high school in June, 1893. She has been a teacher a portion of the time since her graduation. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Ad Patterson, and is a promising young man. They will remain a few days in Madison. Upon returning they will at once begin housekeeping on the Patterson farm, about four miles west of this city, where they will be pleased to see their many friends.

Sheridan-Minick.

Since October 6, D. S. Sheridan and Miss Ella Minick, both of this city, have kept their marriage a secret. On that day they were quietly married at St. Patrick's church, John Sheridan officiating as best man while Miss Annie Mooney acted as bridesmaid. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Minick of 62 South River street, while the groom is a highly esteemed young man, who has of late held a position in the laboratory of the Sloan Stomach Remedy Company. Both are possessed of a host of friends who will wish them much joy.

Bridget's Success.

Bridget (applying for situation)—Oh, yes, mum, Oi lived in my last place t'ree weeks.

Mrs. Van Nobbs—And why did you leave?

Bridget—Oi couldn't get along wid her; she was owld and cranky, too.

Mrs. Van Nobbs—But I may be old and cranky, too.

Bridget—Cranky ye may me, mum, fer faces is sometimes decavin', but owld—never!

And Bridget got the place.—Spare Moments.

It All Depends.

"Is a man ever justified in breaking a matrimonial engagement?" he asked, anxiously.

The query editor leaned back in his chair and looked thoughtful.

"It is not so much a question of justification," he said, at last, "as it is of the kind of cinch the girl has on you for breach of promise."—Chicago Post.

A Desperate Case.

Old Harding—Well, I guess that young Dabsley's determined to marry our Lib, in spite of everything.

Mrs. Harding—Why do you think so, Jeremiah?

Old Harding—Why, you know, she sang to him and played the piano night before last, and here he is again.—Tit-Bits.

Blanco Extends Condolence.

Havana, Dec. 13.—Marshal Blanco has cabled to Senor de Lome, Spanish minister at Washington, a request that he tender Blanco's condolences to President McKinley on the death of the President's mother.

Iowa's First Christian Science Church.

Sioux City, Iowa, Dec. 13.—Iowa's first Christian Science church was dedicated here. Its seating capacity is about 800. It cost $6,000 and is free from indebtedness.

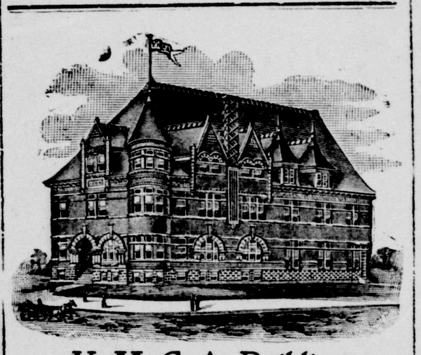
Convicted of Embezzlement.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 13.—Banker Pritchard, in Parke county, was given one year for embezzlement for receiving deposits after insolvency. This is the first conviction under the new law.

Failed to Indict Porter.

Terre Haute, Ind., Dec. 13.—The grand jury failed to indict the Porter boy in Parke county, who killed Sturgeon, a wealthy stockman, because of his attentions to the boy's mother.

Mrs Mary Bird, Harrisburg, Pa., says: "My child is worth millions to me; yet I would have lost her by croup had I not invested twenty-five cents in a bottle of One Minute Cough Cure." It cures, coughs, colds and all throat and lung troubles. C. D Stevens.



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STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY In Probate:

Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the County Court to be held in and for said county at the Court House, in the City of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday, being the 4th day of January, 1898, at 9 o'clock, a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Frederick Martin Koplin, to admit to probate the last will and testament of Frederick Koplin, late of the town of Janesville, in said county, deceased.—Dated December 13, 1897.

By the Court,
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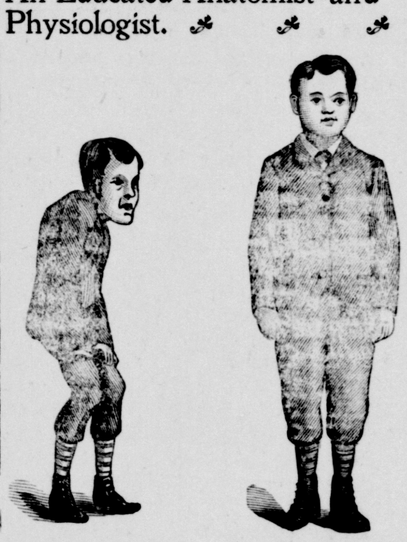
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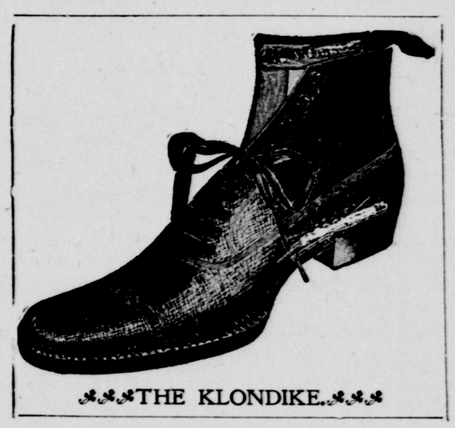
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John Wallace, who edged cautiously up to Officer John Brown and struck the officer on top of the head with a big stone early Sunday morning, cutting a three inch gash in Brown's head and knocking him senseless, will stand trial in the municipal court on Dec. 20.

The charge against Wallace is "assault with intent to do great bodily harm," and the offense is punishable by confinement in the state penitentiary.

Wallace waived examination when brought into court today, and his case will come up again next Monday.

Wallace had been engaged in a fight on North Main street Saturday night, and Officer Brown, after stopping the row, took hold of Wallace, ordering him to go home. Wallace did not want to obey so Officer Brown pushed him along the sidewalk. Finally Wallace struck Brown and Brown retaliated by slapping Wallace on the cheek. Wallace was then giving his choice of going home or to jail, and went up Main street as the officer supposed, on his way home. Wallace had other plans, however. He stepped into the street at Munger's grocery, and picked up a large stone.

Felled to The Ground

At this time Officers Brown and Appleby were talking at Ziegler's corner. They did not see Wallace come back, until he was close to them. Wallace edged up to Officer Brown and before the policeman realized that Wallace intended to do anything, he had brought the heavy stone down on Officer Brown's head, with great force. Officer Brown fell, and Wallace ran up North Main street with Officer Appleby in pursuit. Wallace dodged into the alley at 2 fire station, and fell over a dump cart. He jumped up and ran again and just as Officer Appleby fell over the same cart, Wallace turned up the river bank Wallace succeeded in getting away but was arrested by Chief Hogan aad Officer Appleby at 4 a. m. at J. A. Wallace's home on Terrace street and put in jail.

Wallace is Jailed

Officer Brown regained his faculties in a few moments and went to Palmer Evenson & Stevens' drug store. Dr. Joe Whiting was called and found an irregular gash two and a half or three inches long in Brown's scalp. Dr. Whiting took ten stitches in the wound.

When Sheriff Acheson talked with Wallace at the jail Wallace said he struck Brown because Brown had pushed him about and that he intended to "do Brown up."

Wallace is the son of Mrs. Margaret Wallace 50 North Main street and is about eighteen years of age.

The court can sentence a prisoner for from one to three years in the penitentiary, or one year in jail on conviction of the charge.

Wallace's bail was fixed at $700.

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Quite a Heavy Business Done Saturday at the Cargill Elevator

Seven hundred bushels of grain were purchased in this Saturday for the W. W. Cargill Company. Considering the present conditioon of the country roads this day's work is considered a good one. Oats and barley are now coming into the market freely while plenty of corn will soon be moving. The Cargill corn sheller will be in position and at work tomorrow so that the buying of corn can commence at once.

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John Gleason Again at the Head of Division No. 1

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Vice President--John Connelly.
Recording Secretary—John M. Hayes.
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Treasurer—James Riley.

JOHN COLLINS' BARN BURNS

Department Got a Call at an Early Hour This Morning.

A barn owned by John Collins, on Washington street, caught fire at an early hour this morning, causing a loss of about $100. The loss is covered by insurance Mr. Collins thinks the fire was set by tramps.

Time For Canned Goods.



People who want vegetables this time of the year, must of necessity use canned goods. This class of goods has advanced from 5 to 20 per cent over last season's prices. We anticipated the change in the market last June, and bought the heaviest stock of canned goods we ever carried. Most of these goods could not be bought at wholesale today for what we ask for them in single cans. Our list on page 8 includes almost every vegetable imaginable, and by reading it over closely you can judge of the saving. Sanborn.

Senator Hanna Has Recovered.

New York, Dec. 13.—Senator Mark Hanna has recovered from the illness from which he had been suffering for several days.

TERSE TALES OF THE TOWN

See prices of bibles at Sutherland's.

Fitzsimmons played to a $400 house here.

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All the latest products in Edgerton pottery are shown by Hall, Sayles & Fifield, "the reliable jewelers."

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If you have any friend you wish to remember with a Christmas present, don't fail to see the large assortment of useful articles we are showing. T. P. Burns.

If you have a lot of gifts to buy and do not want to pay much look in the Milwaukee street show window of Hall, Sayles & Fifield the "reliable jewelers" tomorrow.

The "Russian Carriage Song" to be rendered by the Y. M. C. A. band at the concert the 20th is a bright, novel and interesting number. Tickets 25 cents, advance sale 2 for 35 cents.

The third entertainment in the People's lecture course comes tomorrow night, when Dr. Frank M. Bristol of Chicago, lectures. This is Dr. Bristol's third appearance on the People's courses.

The W. H. Sargent W. R. C. hold their meeting Tuesday afternoon in the new Post hall. A full attendance is desired as this is the time for annual election of officers. Elizabeth McDonald, secretary.

Louise C. Crow, D. O., a graduate of the Northern Institute of Osteopathy of Minneapolis, is in the city and will open an office in the Grubb Block next week. In another column will be found her public announcement.

Teachers of Sunday school classes and others interested in Xmas trees will find it to their advantage to notice our window display on Tuesday next, as we will make a special feature of silver articles at very low prices. Hall, Sayles & Fifield.

A most appropriate gift for any gentleman for Christmas is one of those umbrella and cane sets just received by Zeigler for the holiday trade. Both the canes and umbrellas are of the latest style and come directly from the eastern markets.

No guessing about what will make a gentleman the more pleased in his Xmas gift. Something for his dress always touches the right spot. It takes but a moment to make a selection from the Zeigler stock of men's furnishings bought especially for the holidays.

The Married Ladies Sodality, of St. Mary's church assisted by the Young Ladies Sodality will give a supper and sale, Tuesday, Dec. 4 in Columbia Hall. The sale of articles suitable for Xmas gifts, will begin at 2 o'clock p. m. and supper will be served from 5 to 6 o'clock.

A pair of gloves either white kid or for dress are always acceptable to any gentlemen. If you think he has too many gloves get him some handkerchiefs or a dress shirt protector or a necktie. In all these lines Zeigler has bought especially for holiday trade.

If you are in the habit of putting in a considerable supply of canned goods to tide you over the winter, it will be vastly to your interest to lay in a stock soon. Sanborn's list on page 8 gives you an idea of the great saving on these goods if bought at their store at present. Sanborn.

ANOTHER PIONEER CALLED BY DEATH

MRS. LUCY ALDEN IS NO MORE.

She Had Resided In Janesville For Half a Century—Her Husband Died Twenty-Seven Years Ago - Funerals of Mrs. Quinn Lorenzo Siegel and Mrs. Gunderson.

Mrs. Lucy H. Alden, who for fifty years had been a resident of this city, died yesterday morning at 11:30 o'clock at her home, 153 South Main street.

The cause of her demise was pneumonia, she having been ill but five days. By her death Janesville loses one of her earliest and most highly esteemed residents. For the past year Mrs. Alden has not been in the best of health and during this time she was tenderly and lovingly cared for by her only child, a son, who was constantly by her side administering to her wants. She was seventy-two years of age and besides a son--John Alden—leaves a sister in Chicago and a brother, who resides near Whitewater. Mr. Alden died twenty seved years ago.

The funeral will be held from the home tomorrow afternoon and the interment will be made at Oak Hill.

Funeral of Mrs. Quinn

The funeral of the late Mrs. Margaret Quinn was held from St. Patrick's church this morning at 9 o'clock. The interment was in Mount Olivet cemetery.

The pall bearers were James P. Ryan, John McManes, P. W. Ryan, William Dohaney, John O'Donnell and Timothy Ludden.

Funeral of Mrs. Gunderson

Rev. Qvale of Orford conducted services yesterday afternoon over the remains of Mrs. Thorson Gunderson. At 1:30 o'clock services were held from the house and from the Norwegian Lutheran church at 2 o'clock The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful and the interment was in Oak Hill cemetery.

Funeral of Lorenz Siegel.

The funeral of the late Lorenz Siegel was held at 2:30 o'clock yesterday from St. Mary's church. Rev. Father Roche officiated, and the interment took place in Mount Olivet cemetery.

August W. Baumann, William Heise, John Zamzow, John Schmidley, John M. Kneff and Nicholas Dilzer acted as pall bearers.

SOME Y. M. C. A. NOTES

Mens' Meeting Yesterday Results in a Conversion---Other Items.

The mens' gospel meeting was large in interest and numbers. Prof. D. D. Mayne was the leader, reading from Matt. 7. "Judge not that ye be not judged," emphasizing the third verse. "And why beholdest thou the mote that is in thy brother's eye, but considerest not the beam that is in thine own eye?" Special reference was made to the fact that it is not simply accepting the plan but the reality is in doing something for others Not entering into a christian life but living that life, daily and hourly. Every word was weighed and spoken with confidence backed by the word of truth. One young man arose in the strength of his noble character and faced the 160 men present saying these words. "I have never spoken in meeting before but I am determined to live a christian life and ask the prayers of those present that I may be successful." It was the most manly, heroic and genuine expression possible to make and as Prof. Mayne asked if there were not others who would express by the uplifted hand their desire to live the same life six others accepted the invitation. Several spoke briefly and six or eight prayers were offered voluntarily. Two bible classes are conducted at the close of each Sunday meeting and yesterday there were twenty four in the advanced and fourteen in the beginners class.

The singing in the men's meeting, with the assistance of the orchestra, is a spiritual uplift, and yesterday was exceptionally good.

The reception committee of the association will number eighteen, and this will give three each evening at the building, to welcome all who come.

Most every association in the country, of any size, has an association basket ball team, and our local association will organize such a team, to represent the association in competitive basket ball with other associations, including Milwaukee, Madison, Rockford, Waukesha, Chicago, and others.

The Juniors are taking special interest in the work for boys and are now anxious to start a meeting for boys and also a bible class. They are already looking forward to one of the best and most enjoyable boy's camp for next summer that has yet been conducted by our local association.

The building is well patronized Many times during the past month fifty and sixty have been in the building at one time enjoying some of its many privileges.

Dissolution of Partnership

The partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Dearborn & Allen is this day dissolved. All claims against said firm will be paid by J. B. Dearborn. All firm bills are payable to him.

J. B. Dearborn,
H. V. Allen.

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE.

Mrs. A. J. Baker is ill.

G. E. E. Ellis was over from Monroe.

Dr. J. B. Whiting spent the day in Chicago.

H. G. Sloan is home from a visit in Milwaukee.

Frank Keegan has gone to Port Arthur to locate.

Miss Luella Davey is now on duty at Rider's store.

Lee W. Bort was up from Beloit on insurance business.

L. H. Towne was down from Edgerton on bank business.

J. L. Vankirk returned to the state university last evening.

Hon. I. C. Sloan has been confined to his home of late by illness.

D. B. Worthington of the Beloit News, spent Sunday in town.

A. Weichl and Gustave Soelle of Philadelphia, are here on business.

Mrs. N. M. Wood is confined to the house by an attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. A. Selleck, 61 Terrace street, who has been very sick, is getting better.

Charles Spoor was down from Evansville today looking after good horses.

Mrs. C. Stockman of Indian Ford is at her parental home, 363 South Jackson street.

E. Ray Stevens, formerly of this city and now a Madison attorney, was in town today.

William Youman, a prominent Reading, Pa., cigar dealers is in the local market buying leaf tobacco.

Martin Gilbertson came from Milwaukee Sunday evening to see his mother who has been very ill. She is improving slowly.

Mrs. F. E. Mosher of Chicago, who has been visiting relatives here, was called home Saturday by the serious illness of her husband.

Mrs Bullock of Whitewater, and her daughter, Mrs. Dr. Beach of Neenah, are visiting her sister, Mrs. M. H. Kimball, and other friends in Janesville.

NEWS HEARD ABOUT THE CITY

The loss on John Gibbons' house, which burned Dec. 1, has been adjusted, the insurance company paying him $575.

Mrs. Christine Hawley arrived in the city this noon from Buffalo being called here by the illness of her father O. C. Peterson.

H. D. Pierce, agent for the Belvidere bicycle factory and A E. Green representing the Andrea Cycle Works, of Milwaukee, were in the city today with '98 model wheels. Neither firm will make the chainless wheel The Belvidere factory will put their wheel on the market next year at $50. This wheel is the one ridden by Miller in the six day race in New York City last week.

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HELEN SERVATIUS.

The Market Is Mine.

Bought it out a short time since. You perhaps have already heard; It's next the opera house. As head cutter I did my best to please the public. As proprietor I can do still better. Know more about all the points of the business. I try to make trial order people regular customers—studying different tastes, etc., etc.

Home killed and Chicago beef.

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People's Meat Market. Janesville.

LONG HAIRED POET IS THE DEFENDANT

MRS. E. FRANCIS MORAN WANTS A DIVORCE.

Says She Was Driven Out of the House; Lived on Corn Meal, and Had to Split Wood—The Case Comes Up In Court Tomorrow Morning.

E. Francis Moran, the famous "Long Haired Poet of the Raging Rock," is to be sued for divorce.

Poetry, it is said, is not so "fillin" when it comes to living on it, as beefsteak, potatoes, etc.

Mrs. Winnie Moran, E. Frances' wife will ask Judge Bennett to grant her a decree tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. Mrs. Moran bases her claims on the allegations of cruel treatment and failure to support. E Francis denies these charges.

The interested parties reside about five miles north of this city in the town of Janesville

In May, 1886, they were married in this city and at once went to housekeeping on the farm where Mrs. Moran has of late made her home.

Poems Were Not "Fillin."

Wedded life for the first two years ran along as smooth as anyone would wish. Later, it is said, Mr. Moran got the poetry habit. From that day to this, Mrs. Moran claims, the wolf has been in evidence about the door. She also claims that E. Francis treated her in a cruel manner, and on one occasion struck her with much force and strength. Mrs. Moran further says that her husband moved all their furniture and household goods from the house and then drove her out.

Corn meal, she says, was her only food at several meals, and as to splitting the wood—well, she says she was always obliged to do that work, soon after they were married.

Mr. and Mrs. Moran have no children.

For the reasons set forth above Mrs. Moran now asks for a divorce, and the result will probably establish a precedent as to the scope of "the poet's license."

We sold one entire case of Javanese coffee Saturday afternoon. It's the best 10 cent package coffee ever put upon the market. Regular customers are growing daily.

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THE MODE.

Some of the New Fancies In Capes and Skirts.

Circular trimmings are much seen on skirts, and sleeves are often trimmed with horizontal bands or ruffles in the same style. These bands are in groups or are disposed at regular intervals throughout the length of the sleeve. Horizontal shirrings are also seen for sleeves meant for slender arms, while sleeves which are perfectly plain have some sort of an ornamental cap, sometimes composed of three or four small ruffles.

Capes are worn of rather greater length than they were last year, and old capes



EVENING GOWN.

may be made longer by the addition of a ruffle of velvet or a deep band of fur. Jackets often have revers, collar and cuffs of bright hued velvet, or a bolero of velvet or soft fur, or even a capuchin lined with plaid silk, and these accessories will bring a last season's garment up to the present mode. Jackets or capes made entirely of fur may be trimmed with a collar, yoke or revers of a different sort of fur, combinations of this kind being now very fashionable. Light and dark furs are put together, and short pile furs are united to those having a long pile. Astrakhan, for example, is often trimmed with fox, and otter with chinchilla.

Skirts are perfectly plain in front and at the sides, flaring very little except at the back, where all the fullness is concentrated. Expensive skirts are out of date, the new ones being moderate and holding rather close to the figure all the way down to the foot.

A sketch is given of an evening gown for a young girl. It is of cream mousseline de soie, embroidered with pink dots. The skirt is tucked around the hips and falls over a lower skirt of pink taffeta. Near the foot is a narrow fold of black velvet. The bodice is of mousseline draped crosswise over pink taffeta and has short puffed sleeves. The bretelles and belt are of black velvet, adorned with bows. Cream gloves are worn. JUDIC CHOLLET.

THE WARDROBE.

Elaborate Silk Petticoats—New Muffs—A Handsome Wrap.

Silk petticoats are becoming marvels of elaboration. One of white silk has a deep flounce around the foot composed of a latticework of rather wide valenciennes lace insertion of a yellow tint, and between these bands are small squares of the white silk. Another, of pale green silk, has a wide, finely plaited flounce cut in points at the edge and pinked, a series of pinked plaitings being placed beneath and a complication of pinking and plaiting forming a heading. Plainer and more substantial, but still very pretty, petticoats are made



FUR WRAP.

of silk and wool moreen, which comes in many attractive shades. These are trimmed with bias ruffles of the same goods or with silk frills.

Small, separate pelerines of fur, usually pointed and rather full, having a high, flaring collar, are worn over fashionable capes, jackets and blouses. Chinchilla, being soft and flexible, is a favorite fur for this purpose, and ermine is also employed, but not in profusion. Mink is less seen than it has been for several winters previously.

Muffs are larger this year than they were last, now affording shelter for both hands, whereas before they often scarcely admitted the fingers. Marten, blue fox, skunk and ermine are furs in favor in Paris.

There are long capes of fur as well as short pelerines, and beside these are seen wraps which seem to be a mixture of the two. A picture is given which shows one of these wraps. It has a sort of body, back and front of black astrakhan, held in to the figure. Over the shoulders and extending downward before and behind is a pelerine arrangement of black mongolic. The valois collar is of astrakhan lined with mongolic. The hat, of steel gray felt, is edged with black velvet and trimmed with black velvet and clusters of parma violets. JUDIC CHOLLET.

HOUSE GOWNS.

The Late Creations of Paris Modistes. Popular Colors.

Frank colors are now universally worn for all occasions, but in the matter of house gowns there is no limit to the audacity of coloring, middle aged and elderly women as well as young ones clothing themselves in light or brilliant tints. White is particularly favored for indoor toilets and composes some very charming costumes.

Plain and broche silks, velvet, mousseline de soie, embroidered woolen fabrics and crepe de chine are all used for house gowns, but in bright or pale tones. Straw, rose, pale green and mauve are favorite colors, as are also bright reds and blues.

Sky blue and moss green form a fashionable combination much more pleasing to the eye than the partnership of blue and mauve which is occasionally seen.

A white velvet gown, trimmed with pearl passementerie and white ostrich plumage, is one of the latest creations of a



GIRL'S COSTUME.

Parisian modiste, and few more perishable examples of attire could be devised. White is exceedingly fashionable, and white astrakhan or plush composes blouse models for the house, the trimming being white fur. The belt for such a blouse is of white kid embroidered with metal or jewel effects, and the accompanying skirt may perfectly well be of some color.

Wrappers are now made very elaborately. They are, of course, loose in form, and the preferred fabrics are soft wools and silks. If the material is thin, it may be lined with wadded silk. Ribbon and lace are used as trimming.

The picture shows a costume for a little girl of 10 years. It is of two toned green wool goods, and the skirt opens in front over a full tablier of emerald green velvet, framed in narrow plaitings of pale green silk. The wool bodice has a plastron of emerald velvet, and is trimmed with silk plaiting also. The sleeves are of green velvet, the belt of pale green satin. JUDIC CHOLLET.

THE MODE.

How to Remodel an Old Skirt—The New Trimming.

A pretty way to make a new skirt or to remodel an old one is to cut it in deep, square tabs or scallops around the foot, placing under these tabs a full plaiting or flounce of silk. The tabs may be edged with passementerie or narrow velvet or even fur.

The flat bands of trimming so much worn this season are extremely useful in concealing seams and masking defects of



CORSAGE.

various kinds. This trimming is easy to

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Miss Josephine Washtock, 1027 Grand Avenue, Milwaukee, Wis., says: "I am indeed happy to add my testimony to the many testimonials of the people of Milwaukee in favor of Munyon's Remedies. I was long troubled with liver and catarrhal complications, but after using Munyon's Remedies I desire to say that I am entirely satisfied with the results."

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apply, and is therefore a boon to the home dressmaker.

When a bodice has become too tight, it may be opened in front over a plastron of velvet, silk or guipure, the plastron being framed by coquilles of lace, plaitings or revers of a different material. Sleeve caps and a short basque of goods matching the revers give unity to the bodice and prevent it from looking "made over." Another way of enlarging a corsage is to cut away a large part of the front, replacing it by a blouse front of silk. The old front may be cut in a bolero form, the whole bodice trimmed with braid and a belt made to match.

Boleros, corselets, bretelles and crosswise bands of trimming are all fashionable and serve to rejuvenate old corsages very satisfactorily. Sleeve caps of various kinds are much seen, and another mode of sleeve decoration consists in cutting a lengthwise slash in the upper part, allowing it to open over a puff of silk or velvet.

The cut illustrates a bodice of beige velvet embroidered with golden brown. It has a square guimpe of plaited golden brown silk and a short, plaited basque of the same material. The sleeves, of plaited silk, are decorated with bands of beige velvet fastened by small gold buttons. The collar, of beige velvet, has a ruche of brown silk lined with beige silk, embroidered with brown. The belt is of brown silk. JUDIC CHOLLET.

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Today you can secure the letters you want. If you wait until nearly Christmas many of the letters will be closed out We rather urge our customers on this; because we know at the present rate of sale many of the letters will be gone, and we want you to get just what what you want.

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Chicago & Northwestern	Leave For	Arrive From
Chgo Via Clinton*	6:40 am	9:30 pm
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	7:40 am	8:10 pm
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	12:40 pm	12:40 pm
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon*	7:20 pm	12:40 am
Chgo Via Beloit, R'kfd, Elgin	7:00 am	6:30 am
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	2:10 pm	11:40 am
		6:40 pm
Beloit, DeKalb & Omaha line	12:23 pm	10:45 am 8:00 pm
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport, & Elgin	7:30 pm	10:25 am
Watertown, Fond du Lac Waukesha & Milwaukee	12:45 pm	10:40 pm
Watertown & Juneau Freight	4:00 pm	
Watertown	8:15 pm	7:30 am
Evansville, Brooklyn, Oregon Madison, Elroy, LaCrosse, Winona and points in Minn & Dak	6:30 am	
Evansville, Madison, Elroy, LaCrosse, Winona & St Paul	11:00 am	3:00 pm
Leyden, Fellows, Evansville, Brooklyn, Oregon, Madison	8:05 pm	12:05 pm
Evansville, Madison, St Paul & Duluth	9:30 pm	6:30 pm
Evansville, Madison, St Paul, Winona & Dakota	12:45 am	7:20 pm
Evansville, Madison & Elroy	7:30 am	
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	2:15 pm	1:15 pm
Beloit	10:40 pm	

*Daily §Sunday only.

Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul.	Leave For.	Arrive From.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit	*1:10 pm	†12:50 p m
Milwaukee, Whitewater, Waukesha and Chicago	7:00 a m	9:00 a m
	10:30 a m	§10:15 pm 5:35 p m
	4:40 p m	7:40 p m
St. Paul, La Crosse, Portage and Madison	9:40 a m	9:17 a m
	4:40 p m	11:30 a m
	7:00 p m	5:35 p m
Edgerton, Stoughton, Madison, Lone Rock, Richland Center, Prairie du Chien, McGregor, Portage, La Crosse, Winona, St Paul, and Minneapolis	4:40 p m	
Iowa, Minnesota North and South Dakota St. Paul and Minneapolis, through sleeper and reclining chair cars via McGregor—daily except Saturday	§ 9:20 pm	9:17 a m
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit, (daily	9:35 a m	4:10 p m
	11:30 a m	
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford, Beloit, Delavan, Elkhorn and Racine	11:30 a m	6:00 p m 9:00 a m 12:50 p m
Kansas City through train Beloit, Rockford, Freeport Savanna, Dubuque, Rock Island, Cedar Rapids, Ia.	‡2:30 p m	‡9:00 a m
Beloit, Rockford, Savanna, Sioux City Omaha, Denver and west fast train	6:30 p m	4:10 p m 6:00 p m 9:00 a m
Monroe and Mineral Point	9:30 a m 6:10 p m	4:10 p m 9:00 a m
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	6:10 p m	9:25 a m
		4:40 p m
Monroe and Mineral Pt. mixed	8:00 a m *10:00 am	6:10 p m 3:30 a m
*Sunday only		8:30 p m
†Daily		
‡Daily except Sunday		
§Except Saturday		

MAILS ARRIVE AND DEPART.

JANESVILLE MAILS.	Arrive.	Close.
Chicago, East, West, Southwest	6:00 a m	9:00 a m
North and Northwest	7:35 a m	10:00 a m
Chicago, East, North and Northwest	9:40 a m	12:00
Chicago, North, East, West and General	12:40 p m	
Chicago, East and all points	6 00 p m	8:00 p m
North and West, via Madison	6:30 p m	8:00 p m
	11 30 a m	
SUNDAY MAILS.		
Chicago, East, South and Southwest	6:00 a m	6:00 p m
North, Northwest, Etc	6:30 p m	7:00 p m
MONDAY ONLY.		
Chicago, East, West and South		7:00 p m
STAGE MAILS.		
Johnstown and Richmond	11:00 a m	2:30 p m
Emerald Grove and Fairfield	11:00 a m	2:00 p m

Relief In Six Hours.

Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by "NEW GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is the remedy. Sold by Stearns and Baker 3W. Milwaukee St., druggist, Janesville, Wis

THE OVERFLOW OF LOCAL NEWS

MUSICAL-LITERARY SOCIETY.

Program Will Be Made Up From American Composers' Work Tonight.

The Musical-Literary society will meet at the Caledonian Society's rooms, tonight. The work of American composers will make up the program as follows:

1. Country Dance.....Nevin
 Miss Withington, Miss Wilbur.
2. Nocturne.....Nevin
 Miss Paulson.
3. { La Miniature.....Vanderpoel
 { Impromptu in G Minor.....Foote
 Mrs. Clarence L. Clark.
4. Canzonetta.....Herbert
 George Bauman.
5. Ritowinelle.....Dennee
 Mrs. Malcolm G. Jeffris.
6. Improvisation.....MacDowell
 Miss Mabel Lewis.
7. { Madrigal.....Victor Harris
 { Thy Beaming Eyes.....MacDowell
 Mrs. E. J. Carroll.
8. Nocturne, for Cello.....Kalliwoda
 F. F. Lewis.
9. If I But Knew.....Wilson G. Smith
 Miss Abbott.
10. In My Neighbor's Garden.....Nevin
 Miss Elosie Palmer.
11. Come Holy Spirit.....Taylor
 Mrs. E. M. Hyzer and J. S. Taylor.
12. Fantasy, for Violin.....De Berriot
 Herbert W. Adams.

A sketch of each composer will be read by Miss Jeannette C. Ford.

CHOPS OFF A PIECE OF AN EAR

Narrow Escape of a Newark Boy From Self Decapitation

A young son of Daniel Kelley residing west of Beloit, barely missed cutting his own head off while chopping wood.

In swinging the ax, which was as sharp as a razor, it caught into a limb of a tree in a manner to turn its course so that the blade struck the boy on the side of his head and cut off a portion of one of his ears. That the blade did not cut off part of his head or enter his brain is a wonder. Dr. Nye sewed up the severed member and the youth will probably have a good pair of hearers yet. But his escape from death was very close.

SECRET SOCIETY ELECTIONS

Bower City Verein

At the third annual meeting of Bower City Verein No. 36 the following officers were elected for the ensuing year.

President—Charles F. Brockhaus.
Vice President—Geo. Fass.
Secretary—Geo. E. Herman.
Financial Secretary—Leopold Koesters.
Treasurer—Ernst Lightfoot.
Speaker—Peter Weber.
Guide—Joseph Kaiser.
Inside Watch—William Beyer.
Outside Watch—John Zerbel.
Trustee for three years—William Richter.
Trustee for one year—Charles Quade.
Representative to the Grand lodge to be held in Milwaukee in June—Leopold Koesters.
Alternate—Chas. F. Brockhaus.

Daughters of Rebekah Elect.

At the regular meeting of America Lodge No. 36, Daughters of Rebekah, held at Odd Fellows' hall, North Main street, Saturday night, the following officers were elected for the ensning year:

N. G—Mrs. Neva Holmes.
V. G—Mrs. E. Heller.
F. S—Miss Warner.
P. S—Miss Ellla Stout.
Treas—Mrs. John Stanton.
Trustee—Mrs. John P. Wright.

It is easy to catch a cold and just as easy to get rid of if you commence early to use One Minute Cough Cure. It cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, pneumonia and all throat and lung troubles. It is pleasant to take, safe to use and sure to cure. C. D. Stevens.

Personally Conducted Tour Through Mexico.

The Northwestern Line has arranged for a personally conducted tour through Mexico, under the auspices of Mr. J. J. Grafton, the well known excursion manager. The party will rendezvous at Chicago and leave there Tuesday morning, January 25, 1898, in a Special Vestibuled Train of Palace Sleeping Cars, which will be their home for the entire trip. All of the cities and almost every place of interest in this wonderful country will consume thirty days, but the tickets will be limited for return passage to nine months. A more interesting, beneficial or pleasant winter outing it would be difficult to conceive. Illustrated pamphlets and full information as to rates, etc., will be furnished on application to ticket agents Chicago & Northwestern Railway.

Mrs. Stark, Pleasant Ridge, O., says, "After two doctors gave my boy up to die, I saved him from croup by using One Minute Cough Cure." It is the quickest and most certain remedy for coughs, colds and all thaoat and lung troubles. C. D. Stevens.

Tax Notice.

The tax rolls and warrant for the collection of state and county taxes are now in my hands for collection. All persons interested will please take notice. Dated this 8th day of December, 1897. JAS. A. FATHERS,
City Treasurer.

Prosperity comes quickest to the man whose liver is in good condition. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are famous little pills for constipation, indigestion and all stomach and liver troubles. C. D. Stevens.

JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES.

Quotations On Grain And Produce are Reported For The Gazette.

The following figures show the range of prices in the local market.

FLOUR—Good to best Patent, $1.25 to $1.40 per sack.
WHEAT—Fair to best quality 90 @ 95c
BUCKWHEAT—65c@75 a 100
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—$2.50 for 100 lbs.
RYE—In request at 44 @ 46c per 60 lbs.
BARLEY—Ranges at 25c @ 35c according to quality.
CORN—$5.50@6.00 per ton.
OATS—white, 19c @ 21c.
CLOVER SEED—$2.50@ $2.85 per bushel.
TIMOTHY SEED—90c @ $1.15 per bushel.
MEAL—60c per 100 lbs. $12.00 per ton
FEED—60c per 100 lbs. $12.00 per ton.
BRAN—60c per 100 lbs; $11.00 per ton.
MIDDLINGS—60c per 100, $12.00 per ton
HAY—Timothy Per ton, $6.50@; $7.00. other kinds $5.00 @$6 00 per ton
STRAW—$4.00 @ $4.50 per ton.
POTATOES—55 @60c per bushel.
BEANS—75@$1.00 per bushel.
BUTTER—19c @ 20c
EGGS—Scarce, 16 @ 17 per dozen.
POULTRY—Turkeys 9@10c. Chickens, 7@8.
WOOL 17c @ 20c for washed; 15c @18c for unwashed.
HIDES—Green, 7½c @ 8½c; dry, 12c@ 14c.
PELTS—Range at 40c @ 75c each
LIVE STOCK—Cattle $ 2 00@4.00 per 100 lbs.
HOGS, $2.75@$3 10 per 100 lbs.

Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Dec. 11.—The following table shows the range of quotations on the board of trade today:

Articles—	High.	Low.	Closing—Dec. 11.	Closing—Dec. 10
Wheat—				
Dec.	$1.05	$1.03	$1.04½	$1.03
Jan.	.95	.93½	.93½	.95⅜
May	.91⅝	.91	.91¼	.91½
Corn—				
Dec.	.25⅜	.25⅛	.25⅜	.25½
Jan.	.25⅝	.25½	.25⅝	.25⅞
May	.28⅝	.28⅜	.28⅝	.28⅝
Oats—				
Dec.	.22	.22	.22	.22
May	.22½	.22⅜	.22⅜	.22½
Pork—				
Dec			7.35	.7.35
Jan.	8.35	8.22½	8.35	8.25
May	8.60	8.47½	8.57½	8.47½
Lard—				
Dec.			4.25	4.17½
Jan.	4.37½	4.32½	4.35	4.32½
May	4.55	4.50	4.52½	4.50
Short Ribs—				
Dec.			4.22½	4.20
Jan.	4.25	4.22½	4.25	4.22½
May	4.37½	4.32½	4.35	4.32½

WISCONSIN NEWS IN BRIEF

THE state grange will meet at Marshfield the 14th inst.

ST. PETER'S church of Stevens Point is to have a large tower clock. The structure has already cost $25,000.

FRED LEUBEN, living near Horicon, was found dead on his premises. Death was due to paralysis of the heart.

A. J. LOSER of Juneau, has been appointed register in probate of Dodge county. He has held the position for four years.

MR. and Mrs. S. S. Luce of Galesville held a pioneers' reunion, the occasion being their fifteeth wedding anniversary.

LEONARD LETOMSKY, who is wanted in Green Bay on the charge of burglary, has been held for trial at Menominee, Mich., on a similar charge.

THE West Baking company of Madison has made an assignment. The liabilities are $1,200 and the assets between $800 and $1,200.

THE council of Green Bay has authorized an issue $25,000 improvement bonds, the money to be used in improving streets and bridges in the city.

THE Baraboo common council has refused to make a contract with the company of local business men who have established a plant, claiming that the lights are not equal to 2,000 candle power.

THE suit of the city of Watertown against M. and D. Karger to collect a license levied against transient merchants, has been decided against the city and the license declared illegal.

THE Moore & Galloway Lumber company of Foud du Lac, lost its dry houses by fire last evening. There was 50,000 feet of lumber in the building and it was all burned. The loss is $16,000.

IN the Hooper divorce case at Oshkosh yesterday the name of the corespondent was stricken from the complaint, the plaintiff's reply to the defendant was also stricken from the records and the case is now merely one of alimony.

THE relatives of William M. Pynchcon who left a large sum of money to educate poor boys at Madison, are talking of contesting the will. A sister from Chicago was in Madison yesterday to consult an attorney in reference to a contest.

THE defense in the Lord and Emery case on trial at Wausau, is trying to prove that the accused men could not have been at the place of the murder at the time the murder was committed. It is claimed that Jacob's confession was forced to save him from prosecution on another crime with which he is charged.

IT is estimated that Sheboygan county has sold 400,000 pounds of cheese during the summer, and that the dairymen have received $32,000 for it, estimating the average price at 8 cents. There is still much more cheese on hand to supply small orders. The greater part of the cheese has gone to the southern states.

THE common council of Madison, last evening elected ex-Mayor Corscott on the board of education in place of Dr. John W. Stearns, whom the council refused to re-elect, it is said, because he would not favor resident teachers. Because Dr. Stearns was not elected, Julius Zehnter resigned from the board.

A FREIGHT train on the St. Paul road running between Babcock and Tomahawk was wrecked near Pine river. Six cars were demolished and the conductor and four passengers who were riding in the caboose were badly shaken up. It is thought that the wreck was caused by the train parting and the front and rear portions colliding.

NEWS OF DAY ABOUT TOWN

THE Musical-Literary society meets tonight.

THE Light Infantry meets for drill tonight.

JANESVILLE Lodge No. 55, F. and A. M. meets tonight.

THIS is the regular meeting night for the common council.

THIS is the regular meeting night for the Knights of Honor.

REMEMBER Court St. German supper. Next to Gazette office, Saturday night.

THE most valuable spread of holiday goods in the city at Sutherland's book store.

NICK MORAN came over from Brodhead Saturday saying that he always had a warm place in his heart for "Fitz."

THE Ladies of Christ church served supper at the vacant store in the Bostwick block on North Main street, Saturday evening.

THE Woodmen and Royal Neighbors will give a musical and literary entertainment and Liberty hall Wednesday evening of this week and all friends of both orders are cordially invited. No admission fee will be charged.

ROBERT FITZSIMMONS' company of vaudeville artists and athletes appeared at the Myers Grand Saturday night and a big audience was present—of course. The vaudeville part of the show was good and the wrestling bout between Roeber and Beck was a scientific exhibition. Fitzsimmons punching bag exhibition was also good but the sparring contest between Fitzsimmons and Mike Conley was on the back-alley order.

THE PROGRAM FOR TONIGHT

COMMON council.
LIGHT Infantry.
KNIGHTS of Honor.
MUSICAL-Literary society.
JANESVILLE Lodge No. 55.

To the Publ

Osteopathy the new science of drugless healing is rapidly becoming known, not as a theory but as a fact of demonstrated merit. It is a scientific mechano-therapeutics based upon an accurate knowledge of human anatomy, and is in no way allied to any other school of practice. By its means we alleviate and cure all the known curable diseases, acute and chronic, of mankind and many that have heretofore been considered incurable. We invite investigation. Consultation free. Office in Grubb block, corner Milwaukee and Jackson street. Office hours: 9 a. m. to 12 m. 2 a. m. to 4 p. m.
LOUISE P. CROW, D. O.

Ants Used to Cure Wounds. Savage Surgery

A wounded Brazilian Indian allows a certain species of large ant to fasten its mandibles on either side of the gash. A row of these unites the sides of the aperature as effectually, so travelers say, as would the needle and thread of the surgeon. This must be terribly painful, but not so excruciating as rheumatism, which is easily eradicable at the outset with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Poisons like colchicum and others sometimes administered for this trouble, are dangerous to experiment with. The use of the Bitters is not a dangerous experiment, but a safe and pleasant certainty. Dyspepsia, constipation, biliousness, kidney and bladder complaint and nervousness, are among the bodily troubles remedied and prevented by the Bitters. It also renews appetite and promotes sleep. Convalescence is promptly conducible by its use. Physicians commend it, and the press echoes the sentiment of the profession in regard to it.

Port Arthur, Texas.

C. & N. W. R'y Co. will sell round trip excursion tickets to above point November 16, December 7, December 21, for one fare, plus $2. Leaving Janesville 6:40 a. m. via. St. Louis, reaching Port Arthur twenty-four hours in advance of any other line. For further particulars call on agent C. & B. W. R'y.

Mrs. M. B. Ford, Ruddell's Ill., suffered for eight years from dyspepsia and chronic constipation and was finally cured by using DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills for all stomach and liver troubles. C. D. Stevens.

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth

Be sure and use that old and well tried remedy Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

WANTED.

WORK FOR BOARD wanted by young man attending telegraph school, place to work morning and evenings and Saturdays for his board. Address Valentine Bros.

WANTED—A girl for general housework at 104 Park Place. Enquire at 106 Park Place

AGENTS get 50 cents on each dollar; no experience necessary. Write for agent's outfit. Catholic News, 5 Barclay St., New York.

WANTED—A girl for general housework at 20 Prospect avenue.

NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING IN THE UNITED STATES. A book of two hundred pages, containing a catalogue of about six thousand newspapers, being all that are credited by the American Newspaper Directory (December edition for 1897) with having regular issues of 1,000 copies or more. Also separate State maps of each and every State of the American Union, naming those towns only in which there are issued newspapers having more than 1,000 circulation. This book (issued December 15, 1897) will be sent, postage paid, to any address, on receipt of one dollar. Address The Geo. P. Rowell Advertising Co., 10 Spruce St., New York.

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Handkerchiefs Galore :

No better bargains in the world than those we show. You do not see the same patterns elsewhere as we have the exclusive sale of a large line.

Good Handkerchiefs at

1C

Hemstitched Handkerchiefs at

3 and 4c

Another assortment of those 10 cent handkerchiefs that we are selling at

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The handkerchiefs we are selling at 10c look like those of other stores at 15c and 20c. Our price is

10C

Special bargain—handkerchief with lace insertion, button-hole edge,

20C

Large assortment of fancy handkerchiefs—all very dainty, at

25c.

Beautiful handkerchiefs at

35 - 50
65 - 1.00 - 1.25

Forty different styles of Valenciennes lace for handkerchiefs at

2 - 3 - 4 - 5 - 6 - 7 - 8
9 and 10
....Cents per Yard...

H. HOFFMASTER & SON,
18 South Main Street.

When Asked

What you would like for a Christmas present, say a

Geo. S. Parker Fountain Pen,

and you will be choosing for yourself an ideal present, good the year round.

The Parker Pen

Is famous for its "Lucky Curve," which means much when clean fingers and pleasant thoughts are desired. I have them in all styles at moderate prices.

See my window display of

Fountain Pens

also of the crude rubber from which they are made

M. H. BRADLEY.
The Newsman. 22 East Milwaukee Street.

Headquarters for good things.



ELY'S CREAM BALM is a positive cure. Apply into the nostrils. It is quickly absorbed. 50 cents at Druggists or by mail; samples 10c. by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren St., New York City.

Drop in this Week

More time to give you attention and not the crowd that will be out nearer the 25th. Assortments that are now comolete will be broken later, and you may miss something that would be just what you want. Are having quite a business on heavy lines, such as Shawls, Skirts, Furs, Underwear, &c., which goes to show that many sensible gifts are being chosen. Have been cutting up lots of dress goods, especially in black, and in anticipation of a continued demand are making some marked reductions in dress goods prices. Silks, in waist patterns, make most appropriate holinay offerings.

Cloaks for Christmas

And when you think of it, what would please your wife better than to surprise her with one of Reid's Coats? If the one you select does not please her or is not the correct size, we will exchange it. Surprising what a good Jacket can be had for $5 00, and at this same price ha e a large line of coats for misses in ages 14 to 20 years. It would be well for you to see how reasonable you can buy a cloak during the holidays.

An Underskirt Bargain

An extra special purchase of black silk premier Underskirts, flannel lined, wide, double umbrella ruffle, heavy corded finish around the bottom; nothing in town of equal merit at the price—$1,50.

What About Umbrellas?

You never saw as pretty a line of new novelties as are to be found in that sample line which is now on sale. For ladies there is everything from one at 69c to the best produced with sterling silver or gold trimming up to $5 and $7 each, with all the between prices represented. For gents we have a large line, including the sets (cane and umbrella) all at moderate prices. In short they are all samples and we offer them at what the cost of making would be.

In "The Annex"—Only three more days—Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday; special extra reductions to clean up the various lines of fancy goods to be found on display there. If you want bargains, step in when down town; you will find plenty.

ARCHIE REID & CO.

I Like to Dress Well

Our store is always open Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday nights.

But can't afford to get my clothes made to measure and pay $25 to $30 a suit.

Right You Are

But it is for men like you that we keep Tailor Made Clothes. All the quality, fashion and service of the clothes you'd like to wear at half or less price the tailor charges.
Our's, and there are no better made, and with all the style that's in in the best per suit - - $15 to $18.00

Are you thinking yet about anything for Christmas?

We are getting in every day now, bright and pretty things for the holidays.

A Few Suggestions:

Pretty Neckwear.
Silk Suspenders,
Fancy Hosiery,
Full Dress Shirts,
Full Dress White Kid Gloves,
Dress Suit Shirt Protectors,
Dress Suit Cases,
Fine Umbrellas.

We have all and any one would be a very acceptable present for gentlemen.

T. J. ZEIGLER.
E. J. SMITH, M'g'r. Main and Milwaukee Streets.

H. Freidman, Prop. **THE LEADER.** Corner Milwaukee & Franklin Sts.

The Mecca Of Holiday Shoppers.

Janesville has a metropolitan store, a store where anything can be bought from a pin to a diamond. A store that has attractions for the person who wishes to buy one cents' worth as well as the person who has $100 to spend. This store is a mecca for holiday purchasers. The past two months The Leader has been busy receiving goods for the holiday trade. Every available space and corner is crowded full with useful and artistic articles. Our store was found to be too small to hold the great array of articles so The Leader secured the store room formerly occupied by E J. Green, as its Annex. This store too is crowded with Toys and Christmas articles of all kinds. Foreign and domestic markets were searched for the prettiest goods for the Christmas season and such an array of loveliness Janesville has never before seen. The daintiest stock of China in sets and single pieces that was possible to obtain is here. Beautiful sets and single pieces of the daintiest Imported Ware in countless numbers. The entire line may be termed a maize of loveliness.

Toys, Dolls, Lamps, Books, Etc.



Everything imaginable in Toys for the children, and dolls as low as 4 cents in price. Children's Picture Books with beautiful colored plates as low as 4 cents. This line includes all the books that children like so well. Most beautiful array of Lamps ever brought to the city. A beautiful Rochester Lamp of the latest pattern with a beautiful hand decorated globe, ready for lighting, $2.09. Lamps in endless numbers from 15c to $20. Jewelry of all kinds 20 to 30% less than you pay elsewhere. Very choice line of Silverware at regulation Leader prices.



Those Few Remaining Stoves Are Going Fast.

Not a day passes that we don't sell a number of Stoves. Our stock is fast depleting and we are anxious to close every Stove out regardless of cost. We guarantee you a saving of 30 to 50% on your Stove purchase. It is most necessary to see The Leader stock to fully realize its magnitude. We don't care whether you purchase or not. We want you to call on us.

THE LEADER.

H FREIDMAN, Proprietor - - Franklin and Milwaukee Streets.

TOO MANY GENERALITIES

In anything are confusing. Just so they are in talks about groceries people don't become vitaly interested in anything but a special talk on a special clas of goods That is the idea we follow. Take one line at a time or just enough of a list so that you can take the low prices in thoroughly, so you will become interested in the different departments as they appear in our daily talks. There are enough varied classes in our stock, all of them low in price to awaken the interest of hundreds of grocery buyers continually. New people to us are becoming convinced all along of our sincerity. We can certainly show you where your provision purchases can be economized.

KEEP YOUR ECONOMICAL EYE ON US. IT WILL PAY YOU.

Early June Sweet Peas, 10c can; 3 for **25c**
Over 200 cases sold last season. Every can that went from the store made us a friend or customer.

Russian Sweet Peas, per can **15c**
These goods never retailed heretofore less than 20c. We make them special.

Sifted Early June Peas, per can **10c**

Richelieu Sugar Peas, per can **20c**
True to name; quality never varies.

Imported French Peas, can, Jules Duponts' extra fine .. **20c**

Imported French Peas, per can **10c**
A very fine one at the price but not as good as Duponts'.

White Owl Sweet Corn, per can **7c**
These are especially fine at this price and always sell at 10c.

Country Gentleman Sweet Corn per can **10c**

Monarch Sweet Corn, 2 for 25c, per can **13c**

Richelieu Sweet Corn, 2 for 25c; per can **13c**

Mason Bros. & Davis' solid meat Tomatoes, 10c can **3 for 25c**
These goods are quoted in Chicago markets at 90c dozen, wholesale.

Ruby Tomatoes, 3 for 25c; per can **10c**

Monarch extra Tomatoes, 2 for 25c; per can **13c**

Richelieu extra Tomatoes, 2 for 25c; per can **13c**

Royalton's Stringless Beans, 3 for 25c; per can **10c**

Richelieu Stringless Beans, per can, straight **15c**

Richelieu Golden Wax Beans, 2 for 25c; per can **13c**

Monarch Golden Wax Beans, per can **15c**

Monarch French Lima Beans, per can **15c**

Richelieu French Lima Beans, per can **20c**

Richelieu extra Lima Beans, per can **15c**

Richelieu Moorpark Apricots in extra fine syrup, can **30c**

Trilby Yellow Table Peaches, 3 for 25c; per can **10c**
Regular 13c, 2 for 25c, goods, and of the choicest variety.

Gridley Yellow Table Peaches, 2 for 25c; per can **13c**

Reindeer Yellow Cal. Peaches per can **20c**

Fancy Yellow Crawford Cal. Peaches, per can **15c**

Monarch extra Lemon Cling Peaches, per can **35c**
Put up in pure granulated sugar syrup.

Richelieu extra White Cling Peach, per can **35c**
Put up in cordial: finest article put up.

Richelieu extra sliced Peaches for cream **35c**

Derby Cal. Apricots, 2 for 25c; per can **13c**
In sugar syrup; regular price 15c can.

Golden Seal Cal. Apricots in sugar syrup, 2 for 25c; can .. **13c**

Yuba Apricots in sugar syrup, 2 for 25c; per can **13c**
Regular 18c qualities.

Monarch Red Kidney Beans, per can **10c**
This is a special price; usually sells at 13c; 2 for 25c.

Richelieu Asparagus Tips, per can **25c**

Fancy Bartlett Pears, per can **15c**

Charter Oak Bartlett Pears, 6 for $1.00; per can **20c**

Reindeer White Cal. Cherries, per can. **25c**

Reindeer Black Cherries, per can **25c**

Reindeer Royal Aim Cherries, very fine, per can **38c**

Richelieu Preserved Cherries, red, pitted, per can ... **35c**

Monarch Crabapples in sugar syrup, extra fine **10c**
Wholesale price today is $1.75 a dozen.

Monarch and Batavia Apples, per gallon can. **25c**
Two best brands: this is exactly wholesale price on them today.

Tepee Blackberries, per can **10c**
Wholesale price today is $1.15 a dozen.

Tremain Preserved Blackberries, per can **10c**
Wholesale price today is $1.25 a dozen.

Tremain Preserved Raspberries, per can **10c**
Wholesale price today is $1.35 a dozen.

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